Today's Weather.
Fair and Cooler in the South Portion
is the Forecast.

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EIGHTEEN THOUSAND LOST IN ATTACK ON RUSSIAN FORTRESS?

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It is probable Charles F. McKenna will receive a recess appointment as United States district judge for Porto Rico.—Page 2.

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Miss Cara Reese of Pittsburgh stirs up the club women in the convention at St. Louis.—Page 8.

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Dr. James R. Day refuses to accept the bishopric to which he was elected by Methodists.—Page 10.

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New York stocks firm and higher under the lead of Steel preferred and Amalgamated Copper. Pittsburgh stocks dull but steady. Wheat weakens at Chicago.—Pages 14 and 15.

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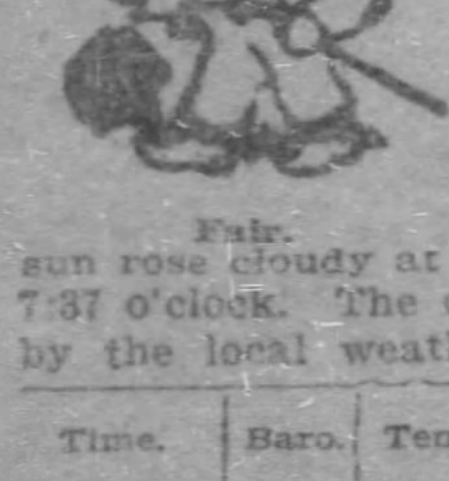
The Interscholastic field and track meet will be held at Friendship park June 8.—Page 9.

"Let Her Go" Said Mother.

FINDLAY, O., May 23.—Louisa Lapp was found on a porch here early this morning, unconscious from the effects of poison taken with suicidal intent. Her condition is critical. When her mother was informed of the daughter's act, she said: "Let her go. She got what she wanted."

THE WEATHER



Fair.

Fair today and fair and cooler for tomorrow, is the Washington weather forecast for Pittsburgh and this vicinity. Yesterday the maximum temperature reached 83 degrees and the minimum 62 degrees. There was .15 of an inch of rainfall yesterday. The sun rose cloudy at 4:55 and set cloudy at 7:37 o'clock. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	29.90	70	46	N. W.	Rain.
8 p. m.	29.87	76	55	N. W.	Rain.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for May 22:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	83	80	Mean	72	72
Minimum	62	63	Precipitation	.15	.00
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	64		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.11	
Exc. for day	8		Exc. for day	.04	
Exc. since May 1	11		Dfcy. since May 1	1.09	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1	443		Dfcy. since Jan. 1	.25	

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Tuesday; cooler in the south portion. Wednesday, fair and warmer; fresh west winds.

Ohio—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday; fresh west winds.

West Virginia—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cincinnati	76	PtCldy	Washington	78	Cloudy
Chicago	58	PtCldy	Indianapolis	72	Cloudy
Des Moines	62	Cloudy	Kansas City	74	Cloudy
Vicksburg	84	Clear	Philadelphia	70	Cloudy
Memphis	86	PtCldy	Omaha	64	Cloudy
Cairo	82	Clear	New Orleans	80	Clear
Oklahoma	84	PtCldy	St. Paul	63	Clear
St. Louis	78	Clear	Helena	56	Rain
El Paso	84	PtCldy	Duluth	56	PtCldy
Louisville	76	Cloudy	Huron	62	Cloudy
New York	66	Cloudy	Salt Lake	76	Clear
Buffalo	58	Cloudy	Denver	66	Cloudy

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Savage's English Grand Opera Company in "Lohengrin," 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Farewell week of Summer Stock company in "The Genius," 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Blind Tom, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

BIJOU—"Rags to Riches," 8 p. m.

ACADEMY—Carr's Thoroughbred Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Eva Taylor and supporting company in "A Fair Rebel," benefit of Gen. Alex Hays Post, G. A. R., 2 and 8 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—The Cycle Whirl, steeplechase horses and free vaudeville in new theater.

EXPOSITION PARK—National league championship series, Pittsburgh vs. Boston, 3:30 p. m.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Apollo club's post-season concert, Dan T. Beddoe, tenor, and John R. Roberts, baritone, soloists, 8 p. m.

Report of Bloody Fight Comes from Consul at Chefoo.

JAPANESE REPULSED

Loss of Mikado's Men Placed at 15,000 and Czar's Forces at 3,000.

CRUISERS REPORTED TAKEN

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23, 11:30 p. m.—It is reported that Foreign Minister Lamsdorff has received a message from the Russian consul at Chefoo, saying that the Japanese have made a land attack on Port Arthur, and that in doing so they lost 15,000 men killed or wounded. The Russian loss is placed at 3,000. The ultimate outcome of the fighting is not stated.

Paris, May 24.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Matin says: "It is persistently rumored that the Vladivostok squadron has captured three cruisers bought by Japan from Chile."

St. Petersburg, May 23.—(Special Cable.)—Reports of decisive Russian victories both on land and sea aroused more enthusiasm here today than has been witnessed since the beginning of the war, though when the day passed with no official verification of the reports the enthusiasm waned.

The first report told circumstantially of a crushing defeat administered to the Japanese army investing Port Arthur, which was said to have made a determined attempt to take Port Arthur by assault, only to be hurled back with crushing loss. This was followed by reports that another of Togo's battleships had been destroyed and the Japanese also had lost two or three torpedo craft. None of these reports can be verified.

Port Arthur Open.

From better sources, however, comes the report that the blocked-up channel to Port Arthur has been cleared of obstructions and is now practicable for the largest Russian warships. It is further said on good authority that all of the injured vessels except the Retzivan and Czarevitch have been in position to go to sea, and that if the time comes when it is necessary to make a sortie there will be a sufficient Russian force to put up a great fight against the Japanese.

The feeling is well nigh universal here now that the turn in the tide has come and that henceforth victory will be found with the car's forces.

News from the front indicates that Kuroki's advance has been checked and that the Cossacks on the flanks of the Japanese army have made it impossible for the enemy to move forward without running serious risk of having their communications cut and of being so hampered that they will be unable to exert their full strength in any offensive movement.

The reoccupation of Niuchwang is taken to show a new spirit in the Russian army and to mean that Kuropatkin is about ready to assume the offensive. This means in the minds of the people here that the enemy will be driven south of the Yalu and held there until the Baltic squadron arrives and wrests control of the sea from the Japanese. This will mean the beginning of the end.

Bogatyr Blown Up.

The report that Rear Admiral Jessen, finding it impossible to save the protected cruiser Bogatyr, which went ashore recently in a fog on the rocks off Vladivostok, caused her to be blown up, is confirmed.

The guns of the Bogatyr were removed before she was destroyed. No loss of life attended her destruction.

The following dispatch, dated May 22, from Gen. Kuropatkin has been received by Emperor Nicholas:

"All is quiet in the direction of the Fin-Chou-Ling mountains. It is reported from Siu-Yen that, on May 21, a Japanese force, consisting altogether of about one regiment of infantry and two regiments of cavalry of the guard and of the line was observed moving on the broad front from Habalin toward Salitzaiputza.

"During the night of May 20-21, one of our sotnias returning from Taku Shan to Louo, Mia and Khondu Kan, discovered a detachment of Japanese infantry bivouacking at Sitkhoutchindza, 10 miles northwest of Taku-Shan. The Japanese opened fire on our troops.

"There is no change in the situation along the shores of the Liao-Yang peninsula."

Third Army Mobilizing.

LONDON, May 24.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail, from Yin-Kow says:

"A Japanese third army is mobilizing at Hiroshima. A change in the Japanese plan arising from the naval disaster involves the utilizing of the second army for the reduction of Porth Arthur, and therefore the first army is entrenching at Fung-Wang-Cheng."

The Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent says it is reported the Russians are removing stores and provisions to Harbin and that 100 locomotives and 800 cars are collected at Liao-Yang in readiness to convey passengers and goods. Therefore, he says the conclusion is that the Russians are preparing to retreat.

Ten Killed by Explosion on Battleship.

LONDON, May 23.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Central News says that there was an explosion today on board the battleship Orel, at Cronstadt, and that 10 stokers were killed.

JEALOUS COWBOY KILLS TWO OTHERS AND FLEES

WOODWARD, OKLA., May 23.—Jealous of the attentions paid his wife, William Gardner shot and killed Bud Craig and Virgil Funkhauser. All three were cowboys working on Wiggins' ranch near here. A mob of 50 men is pursuing Gardner who will be lynched if caught.

FAIRBANKS SURE SAYS PENROSE

Indiana Man to Be Running Mate of Roosevelt at Election.

TALKS OF SENATOR

Re-Election of Beaver County Man Desired by Party—Has Quay's Proxy.

BIG FUTURE FOR THE CUBANS

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Press Building.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 23.

"There is only one person in sight for the nomination for vice president, and that is Senator Fairbanks. Pennsylvania will be for him if he will accept a nomination, and I have no doubt he will. In my judgment there will be no contest for the nomination, and I am of the opinion there will be but one candidate, Senator Fairbanks."

That was the declaration made today by Senator Boies Penrose, Republican state chairman of Pennsylvania, who stopped over in Philadelphia for an hour while on his way from Washington to New York. Senator Penrose arrived in Washington late on Saturday night after a three weeks' trip to Cuba, which he made in company with Secretary of the Navy Moody, Representative Dalzell and several other members of the committee on naval affairs. While in New York Senator Penrose will attend the meetings of the congressional committee on merchant marine.

When seen by a representative of The Gazette at his home on Spruce street, Senator Penrose discussed politics, his trip to Cuba and the work of the last congress. Regarding the question of electing a senator when the next legislature convenes, Senator Penrose dictated the following statement:

Talk on Senatorship.

"There has been no consideration of candidates. The harmonious condition of the Republican party in all parts of Pennsylvania has prompted all Republicans to wish for the re-election of Senator Quay."

Beyond that statement, Senator Penrose declined to make any comment on the senatorship.

It is significant that Senator Penrose will go to Chicago with Senator Quay's proxy to attend the meeting of the Republican national executive committee on June 15. Senator Quay will not attend the meeting of the committee and he will not attend the Republican national convention in Chicago on June 21. Representative John Dalzell or George T. Oliver of Allegheny county will represent Pennsylvania on the committee on platform.

Senator Penrose went to Cuba on the dispatch boat Dolphin. He said that his party were much pleased to see every evidence that the Cubans were successful in managing the affairs of the island. The city of Havana, he said, gave every evidence of being clean and healthy, and upon every side were to be seen the results of the work done by the Americans. The Cubans, said Penrose, are maintaining the high standard introduced there.

Future for Cubans.

"There is certainly a great future in store for Havana and the island of Cuba," said Senator Penrose. "Of course the Cuban people have not recovered fully from the effects of the war, but it will be but a short time before they do recover. Real estate values will increase greatly, and I look for a big business boom there. Twenty thousand Americans visited Cuba last winter and travel will greatly increase during the next few years, both for pleasure and for business. As soon as its advantages become known, Havana promises to rival Florida and other pleasure resorts.

"The main object of the trip was a desire to inspect the naval stations at Guantanamo, Key West, Pensacola and other places. The naval station at Guantanamo is destined to become one of the most important stations in the country. It is contemplated to spend many millions of dollars there in constructing dry docks, barracks, etc. From a stategic point of view it is the most important point on the coast.

"We inspected the naval station at Pensacola. There is a splendid harbor there and the place is destined to become one of the most important stations on the gulf by reason of its harbor facilities.

Canal Booming New Orleans.

"At the navy yard in New Orleans we saw the largest steel dry dock in the world recently completed and placed there by the government. The people of New Orleans are looking confidently to the brilliant future which awaits that city because of the Panama canal. When everything there is brought to completion, New Orleans will be the second if not the greatest port in the United States.

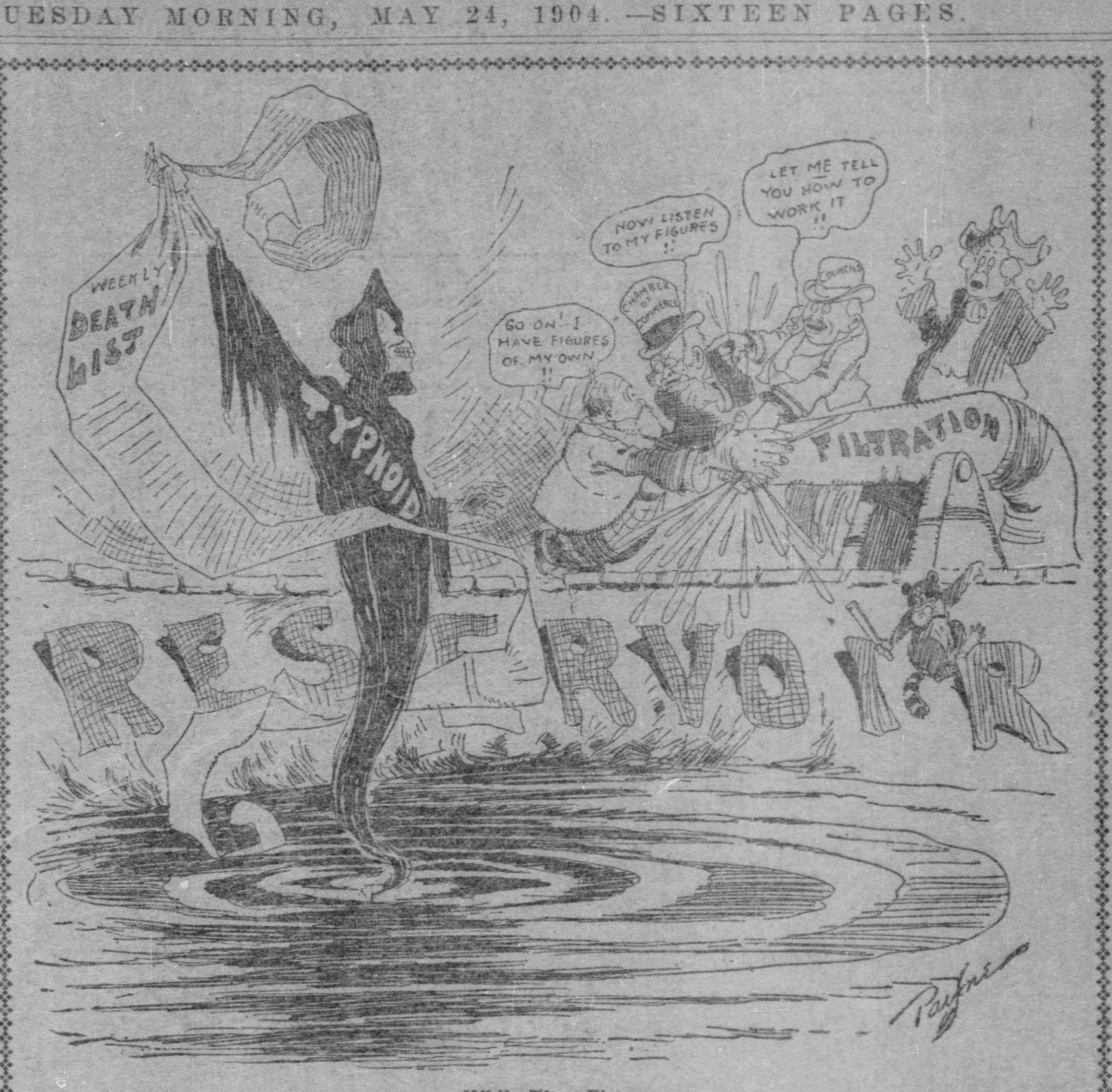
"In my opinion our trip of inspection will result in much good. It has enabled the committee on naval affairs to learn conditions at the several naval stations for which a great amount of money will be appropriated. The committee is now in position to recommend such appropriations without depending entirely upon the reports of naval officers."

Senator Penrose expects to return to Philadelphia toward the latter part of the week.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Predicts 89,041,436 Population.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—In a letter defending the estimates of population recently issued by the census bureau, Director North incidentally gives an estimate of the population of the United States under the census to be taken in 1910, placing the figures at 89,041,436.


WEEKLY DEATH LIST
TYPHOID
GO ON! I HAVE FIGURES OF MY OWN !!
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
NOW! LISTEN TO MY FIGURES !!
LET ME TELL YOU HOW TO WORK IT !!
COUNCILS
FILTRATION
RESERVOIR
Payne

While They Figure.

'LONGSHOREMEN RIOT AT NEW YORK PIERS

Freight Handlers Threaten to Tie Up New York, New Haven & Hartford Service.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—President Curran of the International Freight Handlers' union this afternoon, following the refusal of Superintendent Shepard to grant a conference, declared if the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company does not meet a delegation of the striking freight handlers and accept their demands by 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, he will call a strike of the freight handlers on all the piers and every department of the railroad's freight service. The men struck in Boston today, the clerks going out in sympathy.

A mob of more than 200 'longshoremen attacked William Hayden, a truckman, this afternoon at pier 50, North river, and he was stabbed in the shoulder. Police reserves were summoned. Several hundred 'longshoremen gathered opposite piers Nos. 50 and 52 on the East river and there were pickets along South street. One man was set upon and beaten until unconscious. Joseph Wax was also beaten while looking for work. Firemen on a Mallory line boat struck today.

The Pennsylvania railroad sent the train of President Roosevelt, en route to Groton, Mass., a roundabout way, owing to the strike of firemen and oilers on the New York, New Haven & Hartford transfer boats.

BURT WAS SHADOWED.

Former President of Union Pacific Had Hard Time While Visiting Japan.

OMAHA, NEB., May 23.—Horace G. Burt, formerly president of the Union Pacific railway, who has been traveling in the orient, has written to a friend that he was followed by Japanese detectives until it became so irksome that he was forced to appeal to a United States consul for relief.

Shortly after his arrival in Japan, newspapers all over the empire published an article to the effect that Mr. Burt was about to be put in control of the trans-Siberian railway. He was at once placed under espionage, and detectives followed him from place to place. The consul secured a retraction by the press of the story that had caused the trouble.

Secretary Moody Indisposed.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Secretary Moody is indisposed and upon the advice of his physician will remain quietly at home for a few days.

TAYLOR'S MURDER STILL UNSOLVED

His Alleged Widow Remains in Custody Under Suspicion.

ALIBI IS CLAIMED FOR HER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CANTON, O., May 23.—Although 48 hours have elapsed since the assassination of George H. Taylor, manager of the American Woollen Mills Company, official investigation has done little toward clearing the mystery. Mrs. Taylor, or Grace Battorf, as many know her, is still in custody on suspicion. Her attorneys say that, unless an affidavit is filed charging a statutory offense, they will insist upon her release tomorrow. Should such an affidavit be filed, the attorneys will insist upon an early preliminary hearing and release under bond if she should be held by the court. Such a release, however, cannot be granted under the state law if first degree murder is charged.

The prisoner's senior counsel, John C. Welty, was chief counsel for Mrs. Ana E. George when she was under trial charged with murdering George D. Saxton, brother-in-law of the late President McKinley.

As to the story that a woman answering to Mrs. Taylor's description was seen loitering in the vestibule of the store shortly before the shooting, Mr. Welty says that a responsible business man of this city will volunteer the information that the woman seen was his wife, who was waiting for him. On the other hand, a policeman claims he saw a woman in a hallway across the street who wore the mackintosh found in the store, and that he is reasonably sure she was Mrs. Taylor.

The most serious circumstantial evidence against Mrs. Taylor is that she had a key to the front door up to Friday, that she lost that key sometime since, that a key to the front door was found back of the store and the assertion of one of the clerks that, besides the key carried by Mrs. Taylor, there were two other keys only, one carried by Taylor and the other by the clerk. Some police on the case say, however, they have evidence that other women, whom Taylor was in the habit of meeting in the store, also had keys to the front door.

William Taylor of Pittsburgh, and Howard Taylor of Cleveland, brothers of the dead man, took the body to Cleveland for burial.

SCENE OF CANTON'S MURDER MYSTERY

The overcoat, "A," is the one Taylor was supposed to be going for; "B" is an offset where stairs lead to the cellar. Near this is a curtained closet in which the murderer is thought to have stood. Taylor's hat was found at "C," and "D" is a metal grill through which a wild bullet went, perforating some rolls of cloth, then falling to the floor.

PACIFIC STEAMER LOST: EIGHTY-NINE ON BOARD

Wreckage of the Corwin Found on West Coast of Vancouver Island.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

TACOMA, WASH., May 23.—It is reported from Victoria that wreckage of the steamer Corwin, which sailed from Seattle for Nome with 89 passengers, Tuesday, has been found on the west coast of Vancouver island.

She was scheduled to sail Monday a week ago, but some of the persons booked for passage complained to United States inspectors of the way the steamer was overloaded and the inspectors ordered all freight stored in the holds. Tacoma shipping men, who saw the steamer before she sailed, express the fear that she is lost. The Corwin had quite a list and seemed to be heavy and unseaworthy.

EMBEZZLER WITH WIDOW AT HER LAKE COTTAGE

Former Trusted Employe of New York Bank Accused of Taking $22,538.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—After Detective Sergeant McCafferty had told how he captured Edward P. Hoyt, formerly a trusted Chemical National bank employe at Lake Mahopac, N. Y., Magistrate Breen held Hoyt under $5,000 bail for examination Wednesday on a grand larceny charge of $22,538.

"Hoyt left his home in Brooklyn every night saying that he had to work in the bank," said the detective. "In reality, however, he spent his evenings with a widow in West Fourth street. After he disappeared I went to the widow's house and found that some of her baggage had been shipped to Lake Mahopac. I went to the lake, walked nine miles, found the widow's cottage and after a watch saw Hoyt and this woman come out, arm in arm, whispering sweet nothings to each other. When I walked up to Hoyt and said, 'My friend, you are wanted,' he dropped some flowers he was carrying and looked helpless."

For 22 years Hoyt had been one of the most respected employes of the bank, and his flight created a stir in the neighborhood of his home, No. 227 MacDonough street, Brooklyn, where he had been looked upon as a model man.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

WU'S SON IS BRIGHT.

He Takes Highest Honors in the Atlantic City High School.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 23.—(Special.)—Wu Chao Chow, the son of Wu Ting Fang, former minister from China to the United States, who has been taking a course in the Atlantic High school, was announced as having taken the highest honors in the graduating class, and will be valedictorian of the class.

Young Wu will take a course in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania and begin his studies next fall.

More Pool Rooms Raided.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Twenty-seven places suspected of being poolrooms were visited, 14 persons were taken into custody and 94 telephones and two telegraph instruments were confiscated today in police raids in New York. Fifteen of the raids were made in the Tenderloin district.

Charles M. Schwab Fined.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Charles M. Schwab contributed $11.70 to the commonwealth of Chatham, N. J., on Sunday, a constable swearing he was speeding his automobile over the Chatham roads at a speed greater than allowed.

Father Sees Daughter Killed.

TORONTO, O., May 23—(Special.)—With the cry of "papa" on her lips, little Clarice McKeever, aged 7, started to cross the railroad tracks here tonight to meet her father who was returning from work. Before his eyes the child was run down and killed.

HEARST LOSES BUCKEYE STATE

Hopelessness of Situation Is Conceded by His Managers.

TEST VOTE SHOWS IT

His Supporters Are Now Working Against Adoption of Unit Rule.

EXPECT TOM JOHNSON'S HELP

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

Columbus, O., May 23.—William Randolph Hearst's presidential candidacy has suffered no severer blow in any state than that which will be administered in Ohio Wednesday. John J. Lentz and C. C. Philbrick of Columbus, and W. L. Finley of Kenton—the New Yorker's Ohio managers—tonight admit their candidate's hopeless weakness. On a show of strength in the coming convention, he could not muster more than 100 of the 723 votes.

The Hearst men are now working solely, so far as their candidate's interests go, against the adoption of the unit rule for the Ohio delegation to the national convention. In this fight they have much anti-Hearst support and may win. If they do, Hearst will have possibly four delegates.

Hearst's supporters, urging loyalty to Bryan's wishes, are now pleading for a delegation-at-large, all of whose members were "regular" in 1896 and 1900. They are fighting also for control of the state central committee, and in this contest they expect Tom L. Johnson's support. Johnson's two representatives in the present committee, Charles P. Salen and J. P. Madigan, of Cleveland, are both with the conservatives this year, however, and if the radicals influence Johnson to stand with them there is every probability of a complete break between him and his two chief henchmen.

The party leaders, all of whom except Johnson are here tonight, are agreed for the most part that the delegation will be uninstructed, although there is a chance that, against opposition, Col. James Kilbourne's friends will secure a favorable mention of his candidacy. The movement to indorse Judson Harmon of Cincinnati seems to have been checked. The platform probably will deal almost entirely with state issues. The Hearst-Bryan contingent has openly abandoned all hope of reaffirmation of the Bryan platforms.

At a conference tonight attended by Charles P. Salen of Cleveland, James Ross of Columbus, Lewis G. Bernard of Cincinnati, John Bolan of Toledo and other leaders it was decided to throw out the contesting Hearst delegations and to seat the Johnson delegation from Cleveland. The organization of the committees will take place tomorrow afternoon. Not a candidate has yet opened headquarters.

DANFORTH SAYS PARKER WILL BE THE NOMINEE

Declares His Statement of Judge's Democratic Principles Was Well Received.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Elliot Danforth, who was recently interviewed in Washington on the principles that Judge Parker stands for, has returned to New York after a trip in Virginia. Today Mr. Danforth said that he had talked with many Democratic leaders of the south and middle west and found the Parker sentiment so strong that the nomination of the chief judge was practically a certainty.

"Judge Parker's friends are surer today than ever before that he will be nominated for president when the Democratic national convention meets in St. Louis," said Mr. Danforth. "He is very strong in the south, as I found on my visit there. From what I have heard, my statement of his Democratic principles was favorably received."

ALEXANDER DODDS.

WILL PREACH OVER PHONE.

Dr. Cornwell Will Send Songs and Sermons to Hospitals by Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—(Special.)—The Rev. Dr. Russell H. Conwell, of Grace Baptist temple, will realize next Sunday his plan of bringing an entire religious service to the sick in the hospitals by means of the telephone.

Dr. Conwell has been working on the plan for several years with the contention that it would ultimately be put into practical use without great cost or inconvenience. A large megaphone attached to a telephone transmitter will be placed back of the pulpit in such a position that it will catch the clergyman's voice. The wire will be connected with the Samaritan hospital, and from 70 to 100 telephones will transmit the sermon and songs to the patients.

CLAIM UPON HERO FUND.

Relatives of Dead Erie Engineer Are Urged to Make It.

ERIE, PA., May 23.—The death of John Bean in St. Vincent's hospital tonight followed an act which led friends to urge the relatives of the dead man to apply for reward from the Carnegie hero fund. Bean had been employed 15 years in the railroad yards running a Lake Shore switch engine.

When crossing Hollenden street this afternoon he saw two women standing directly in front of a train that was rapidly backing down upon them. He leaped from the engine and waved his arms so that they withdrew in time to be saved. A moment later he was struck and mangled.

SATOLLI HAS A FREE HAND

Is Authorized by Pope to Concede Much to American Church.

PIUS DESIRES PEACE

Disagrees With Rampolla That a Schism Has Been Created.

HIS LEGATE IS POPULAR

By MALCOLM CLARKE.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

Berlin, May 23.—The mission of Cardinal Satolli to the United States is being widely discussed in the German press, and nearly all leading papers agree that it is far more important than the vatican is willing to admit. It is said that the cardinal goes to America on a mission which is of the highest importance to Rome, and which is hoped to settle the relations between the very strong Catholic church in America and the holy see.

It is hoped that the cardinal will succeed in bringing about a reconciliation between the adversaries and believers in the so-called Catholic Americanism, and that he has authority to give in to the Americans on many important points. Pope Pius, it is assured, has no higher wish than to see a perfect reconciliation between the American church and the vatican, and he is far from agreeing with Cardinal Rampolla, who insists that the American Roman Catholics have created a schism, and are not to be considered as true adherents of the church of St. Peter.

Pius, far more liberal in many ways than his predecessor, Leo, sympathizes with the American hierarchy on many points. For this reason he has given Cardinal Satolli, with whom he has a perfect understanding, an absolutely free hand to act as he thinks best for the good of the church. It is admitted here that Pope Pius could not have selected a better man for this purpose, as Cardinal Satolli not only is perfectly familiar with America and Americans, and is connected by ties of friendship with most of the American prelates, but he is also admirably well adapted personally to carry out the plans of the holy see.

QUAY IS RECOVERING FROM HIS INSOMNIA

Devours Newspapers, Smokes Cigars, Chats and Acts Like a Well Man.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BEAVER, PA., May 23.—Senator Quay sat up in his room tonight, smoked a cigar, chatted with members of his family and insisted upon reading all the newspapers that were at hand. Dr. J. H. Wilson said tonight that a decided change for the better was noticeable in the condition of his patient. While he would not say that the senator is likely to recover from his illness, he stated that all circumstances are more hopeful than they were yesterday.

Miss Sue Quay said tonight: "Father seems much better, and we all feel encouraged over the marked improvement he shows today."

Last night the senator exhibited no signs of the insomnia that formerly robbed him of rest. He slept soundly till 10 o'clock this morning, but did not attempt to leave his bed till this evening, when he displayed the utmost cheerfulness, making frequent comments as he scanned the newspapers that were given him to read. None save members of his family were permitted to enter his room today.

MAKE HONORARY CHAPLAIN OF A DECEASED BISHOP

Extraordinary Blunder Into Which the British Admiralty Has Fallen.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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LONDON, May 23.—The admiralty has made the extraordinary blunder of appointing a dead man to an honorary post at Liverpool.

There is a dignified announcement in the London Gazette that the admiralty has been pleased to appoint Dr. John Charles Ryle, bishop of Liverpool, as honorary chaplain to the newly-formed Mersey brigade of Royal Naval Volunteer reserves. Dr. Ryle, however, died June 10, 1900. The present bishop of Liverpool is Dr. Chavasse.

BREAK IS COMPLETE.

France Also Withdraws Her Minister from the Holy See.

PARIS, May 23.—It is announced that Ambassador Nisard was recalled from the vatican in the full sense of the diplomatic term, the French government having given up its first plan to give him indefinite leave of absense. The rupture is further emphasized by the determination of France to withdraw M. DeNavenne, its minister at the vatican. This leaves M. Sartiges, with the rank of second secretary, to carry on the routine business of the vatican embassy. It is understood that public statements of M. DeNavenne, apparently defending the vatican's course, have contributed to the decision that he shall not return.

ROME, May 23.—It is understood that the vatican has been assured that the French government, unless compelled otherwise by action of the chamber of deputies, practically intends to allow the matter of Cardinal Merry del Val's note to drop, thus avoiding a conflict with the holy see before the general elections of 1905.

M'KENNA LIKELY TO GET PLACE

Dalzell Sees the President and a Recess Appointment is Probable.

LATTER WANTS PITTSBURGHER

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 19, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.

It is considered likely that the president will make a recess appointment of Charles F. McKenna of Pittsburgh to be United States district judge for Porto Rico, and that there will be no opposition to his confirmation by the senate when congress meets in the fall. Representative John Dalzell had luncheon with the president today and talked over with him the appointment of Mr. McKenna. The situation was thoroughly discussed, but Mr. Dalzell would not state that any definite decision had been arrived at. All he would say was that he was hopeful that Mr. McKenna would be appointed to the position.

Senator Penrose went to New York today to attend the meeting of the shipping commission, and will return to Washington in a few days. Then he and Mr. Dalzell will meet, and there is little doubt that the McKenna appointment matter will be fixed up amicably, and that the Pittsburgh man will get the place. It is known that President Roosevelt wants Mr. McKenna for the place and that Attorney-General Knox will also be pleased to see him get it. It only remains for the political end of the case to be arranged and that the president and that the attorney-general are leaving entirely to the senators and Mr. Dalzell. As soon as they agree upon Mr. McKenna his commission will be signed by the president. As has been previously stated, Senators Quay and Penrose have no personal objection to Mr. McKenna, their opposition to him being based solely upon the point of political ethics that they should have been consulted before such an important appointment in their state is made. It is believed that Mr. Dalzell will be able to overcome these objections. Although Mr. Dalzell and Senator Penrose were together for three weeks while on the cruise of the West Indies, from which they only returned yesterday, yet they did not discuss the appointment during that time, as the cruise was a social affair and neither cared to interject business into it.

L. W. STRAYER.

ROTHSCHILD SENTENCED TO 9 YEARS IN PRISON

His Attorney Secures a Stay, Which Will Delay Trip to Sing Sing.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—David Rothschild, former president of the wrecked Federal bank, was sentenced to nine years at Sing Sing at hard labor by Recorder Goff today. He was convicted last week of grand larceny.

Moses H. Grossman, counsel for Rothschild, obtained a stay from Justice Gaynor of Brooklyn immediately after Rothschild had been sentenced. This will prevent the banker from being taken to Sing Sing at present. Mr. Grossman also obtained an order directing Recorder Goff to show cause why a certificate of reasonable doubt should not be issued, pending an appeal of the case to the appellate division of the supreme court, on the ground that he recorder erred regarding the admission and rejection of testimony. The order is returnable in Brooklyn Thursday morning.

The attorney served Sheriff Erlanger with a copy of the papers in the case, and the sheriff directed that Rothschild be allowed to remain in the Tombs until the case is disposed of.

The specific offense upon which Rothschild was convicted was the discounting of a note for $10,000 for a man named Nessler, the banker surreptitiously transferring the proceeds to his own account. A jury brought in a verdict on Friday, being out only 45 minutes.

Had the present charge failed to secure a conviction, Assistant District Attorney Rand would have at once moved the trial of one of three additional indictments lodged against the banker by the grand jury.

ALEANDER DODDS.

BODIES FROM TROPICS.

Among Them is That of Former Quartermaster of Eighth Ohio Volunteers.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—The body of Thomas H. Cummings, United States consul at Puerto Cabello, who died suddenly of heart disease several days ago, was brought here on the steamship Caracas, which arrived today from San Juan.

The Caracas also brought the body of Capt. Herman L. Kuhn, formerly quartermaster of the Eighth Ohio volunteers, who died on May 14, at San Juan of apoplexy. Among the passengers on the Caracas was Capt. N. J. K. Patch of the United States cruiser Montgomery, whose leg was broken in an accident, and who comes here for treatment.

Invited to Convene Here.

As a result of a conference of representatives of the three Cumberland Presbyterian churches in this city a message was sent yesterday by the annual convention of the church in Dallas, Tex., inviting the body to hold next year's session in Pittsburgh.

Contractors Lowered a Bid.

McKeesport councils met last night. The city property committee let the contract for the paving of Webster avenue and other improvements to Bonam Bros. for $30,000. The committee recently let the contract for over $41,000 to the same firm and the citizens in that district protested.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived May 23.

NEW YORK—Finland, from Antwerp.
LIVERPOOL—Umbria, from New York.
MOVILLE—Bavarian, from Montreal.
PLYMOUTH—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York.

Sailed May 23.

PLYMOUTH—Graf Waldersee, for New York.
LONDON—Minnesota, for Philadelphia.

Passed May 23.

ISLE OF WIGHT—Kroonland, from New York for Antwerp.
LIZARD—Minnehaha, from New York for London; Neckar, from New York for Bremen.
GIBRALTAR—Prinz Adalbert, from New York for Naples.

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DIED.

HANSEN—On Monday evening, May 23, 1904, at his home, 605 Evergreen avenue, Millvale, CHARLES HANSEN, Sr., in his 65th year.

Notice of funeral later.

COUNCILS DO NOT HAVE TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS

Central Board of Education Loses Its Suit Against the City.

The supreme court has decided that the promoters of the new high school will have to wait until the passage of the next appropriation ordinance by Pittsburgh councils to get the money for the purchase of the Magee site. This will delay the matter until next February.

The Central board of education endeavored to compel the city to appropriate $100,000 after the appropriation bill for this year had been passed. The question was carried to the supreme court for decision and Judge Fell in Philadelphia yesterday handed down this opinion, which affirms the judgment of the local court:

The inconvenience to the councils and other officers of the city of Pittsburgh, or even to the taxpayers, is not in general sufficient reasons for denying a mandamus. It is conceded, and indeed could be denied under the terms of the act of 1878, that the authority to determine the amount of money necessary for conducting the schools, is in the central board of education, and a requisition by the board is mandatory upon councils to make the appropriations.

Being a public duty imposed by statute upon the municipality, these inconveniences of compliance is not sufficient reason for refusal to enforce obedience by mandamus, but the board having the power to make requisition should do it in proper form and at proper time. Councils must adjust their expenditures to the municipal income and to do this intelligently they are entitled to have all the required items of appropriation before them at the time when the law requires them to act; the requisition by the appellants in the present case was accompanied by an explanatory and itemized statement which showed among other things that $100,000 was asked for the purchase of a site for a high school, under a contract which provided that "no money be paid on this property until the appropriation for the same has been passed by councils."

This is understood by councils not unfairly to be a purchase of the land by the central board, subject to the approval of councils, the latter apparently not approving the purchase, omitted that item from from the appropriation. For this result the appellants are at least in equal fault with councils. It was their duty to make their demand in unambiguous terms which councils could clearly understand as being unconstitutional. Not having done so the inconvenience of the result should fall upon themselves. The matter therefore must go over until the next regular annual requisition. Judgment affirmed.

RAN AFTER BURGLAR.

Allegheny Man Captures Would-Be Thief Who Broke Into Two Houses.

Henry Hillman, who says he lives in McKeesport, was sent to the workhouse for 90 days yesterday by Magistrate Abernathey of Allegheny on a charge of tresspassing. Hillman and a companion were discovered yesterday morning in the cellar of O. R. Rombach, who lives in the Nixon flats, in James street. Mrs. Rombach, on going to the cellar was confronted by the couple, one of whom stuck a revolver into her face. After screaming once or twice Mrs. Rombach fainted and the two burglars escaped.

Samuel McKissock was passing the house when the men came out. He chased Hillman down North avenue and through East park to Union avenue. On reaching the residence of Charles F. Sheriff, 905 Union avenue, Hillman ran into the front door and down into the cellar. Mrs. Sheriff, who saw him, locked the cellar door, intending to make Hillman a prisoner. The latter, however, broke a cellar window and coming out on Union avenue, was captured by McKissock, who took him to Central station.

Hillman and his pal secured nothing from the Rombach residence and Hillman refused to tell the name of his associate.

PRESIDENT DECLINES.

Refuses to Interfere in the Cleveland Public Building Dispute.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A delegation of citizens of Cleveland called on the president today to discuss with him the question of reopening the Cleveland public building project. Secretary Shaw was present. He decided a few months ago that sandstone should be used in the construction of the building. The Cleveland delegation protested against the use of sandstone, insisting that granite should be used. The president declined to interfere in the matter.

A statement from the treasury department said it was understood the contractor would delay commencing the work until after congress met, in the hope of securing an additional appropriation to make the change possible. The statement said the contractor did so at his own risk, as the time for finishing the building is February 15, 1906.

DEBATERS HAD BANQUET.

Kingsley House Youths Will Hereafter Discuss Civic and Political Affairs.

The first annual banquet of the Kingsley House Forum club was held in the Kingsley house, 3 Fulton street, last evening. The organization was formed about three years ago and since that time its members, who are boys from 16 to 19 years of age, have confined discussions to literary topics.

It was decided at the close of the banquet to discuss various phases of political science during the club's coming year. This will include a careful study of the Constitution and debates on matters of local and national politics.

The program last night consisted of addresses by John Thomson and H. A. Moore, residents of Kingsley house; a violin selection by William Smolsky, an opening address by Peter Glick, who was chairman of the evening; a piano solo by Sol Finkelhor, and toasts by Joseph Wilner, A. B. Neaman and John Finkelhor, the last of whom was toastmaster. Letters of regret were received from Col. J. M. Guffey, Judge Joseph Buffington and William H. Matthews.

Coroner Exonerates Dead Youth.

The body of Jacob Jocox, the young man who was shot and killed by a farmer in Greencastle, Ind., on May 20, arrived in Tarentum yesterday and was sent to the home of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Cowan, in Second street, Breckenridge. The funeral will be held at 2 p. m. today. Mrs. Cowan received a letter from Dr. J. K. King, coroner of Greencastle, stating that her son was not guilty of the robbery for which he was shot.

Policemen Not Guilty.

Alderman Humphrey Lynch of Allegheny yesterday dismissed the case against Lieutenant William McKelvey and Special Officer Frank Lee, who were charged with perjury by former Policeman Edward Miller. The latter was suspended by the police trial board on the testimony of the defendants, who swore that Miller had left his beat and neglected his duty. Lee and Miller had a hearing before Alderman Lynch last Wednesday night, when the decision in the case was reserved.

Inspector Made Charges.

Inspector Bailey appeared before Alderman Negley last night against Charles Tableman, who keeps a restaurant at 5828 Penn avenue, and Frank Visco, an Italian, of 207 Larimer avenue, charging them with selling liquor illegally and on Sunday. Tableman was held for court on both charges under $1,000 bail, and Alderman Negley reserved his decision in the other case.

DESTROYED BIRD'S NEST AND LANDED IN JAIL

For destroying a bird's nest at the mouth of the Spring mine, at Wall station, where they are employed, Michael Teslo and Michael Miesloth were yesterday committed to jail by Justice Samuel Creelman of Wilkinsburg. Miesloth was committed for 10 days for chasing the mother bird off the nest, while Teslo will have to serve 25 days for breaking the eggs. The complaint was lodged by High Constable Michael Staymater, of Wilkinsburg.

FINDLAY HORROR NOW REPEATED

Three Killed and Ten Injured at Fireworks Factory in Camden, N. J.

OFFICIALS ARE UNDER ARREST

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 23.

In a terrific explosion of fireworks which occurred this morning in the yard of the Independent Fireworks Company, Cooper and Ferry avenues, Camden, two boys and a man were killed and 10 other employes, three of whom were young girls, were injured.

The dead were literally blown to pieces, their features being so mutilated as to make identification almost impossible. Up to the noon hour their bodies, which were removed to the city morgue, were unidentified.

The wounded are: Michael Scanlon, Leondo Pinto, Ella Stone, aged 18; Hannah Parker, aged 15, daughter of the superintendent of Harleigh cemetery; Mary Engle, aged 14; Julius Engle, aged 10, a brother of Mary; Jerosa Mongello, aged 41; Tony Dinigro, aged 17; Peter Kearney, aged 15, and an unknown man about 36 years old.

Robert T. Weser of Philadelphia, president of the company, and Joseph Scanlon, vice president, were arrested and held in $1,500 bail to await the action of the coroner. Warrants have been issued for other officers of the concern. Scanlon's father was fatally injured.

The plant consisted of a two-story brick store house and four frame sheds, all of which were wrecked. The explosion occurred in the mixing department, but its cause has yet to be determined.

PEASANTS WILLING TO GIVE THEIR AID TO CZAR

Emperor Nicholas Finds That Humble Subjects Are With Him in Orient Fight.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, May 23.—That the peasants of Russia are willing to give everything for success in the orient was made plain during the recent trip of the czar. An interesting incident is told by a member of his suite, who said:

"It was the first time really that he had been in close, intimate touch with the people, and their enthusiasm and loyalty deeply affected him. He is now convinced that the nation at large is heart and soul with him in this war. Touching evidence of the deep affection of the peasants were given at many places, and I recall one in particular.

"The emperor slept at a monastery near Kremenchug. Early in the morning he went out for a walk attended only by an aid-de-camp, thinking to pass unnoticed through the village. But the peasants at once recognized him, and the news of his presence spread like wildfire.

"Hundreds of peasants soon collected, forming a devoted bodyguard. The emperor talked to them in simple language, telling them that their little mother, Russia, had need of her sons in the far east.

"The oldest of the peasants alone ventured to reply, it being contrary to the patriarchal custom of village life for the young to lift their voices in matters of moment. They said:

"'You are our sunlight, show us the way and we will follow. Our lives and all we have are yours.'

"The bodyguard kept growing, and when the emperor at last reached his quarters, there were several thousand smiling, delighted peasants about him."

RULING AGAINST DUSS.

Judge Leventritt Decides in Favor of De Reszke, as to Demurrer.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Judge Leventritt, in the supreme court today overruled the demurrer interposed by John S. Duss and his manager, R. E. Johnston, to the complaint of Edward De Reszke, the operatic singer, in an action brought by him to recover damages for breach of contract. De Reszke maintains that he made an arrangement with Johnston to appear at 20 concerts under the management of Duss, for each of which he was to receive $1,000. Duss, he declares, guaranteed the contract, which De Reszke alleges was subsequently violated by him.

The defendants, in their demurrer, contended that the complaint did not set forth a sufficient cause of action, but Judge Leventritt holds that it does. He, however, permits the defendants to file an answer to the complaint.

LORIA MET A BLONDE.

Dane, Who Started to Pittsburgh, Lost $640, in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—(Special.)—L. Loria, a prominent resident of Copenhagen, Denmark, left here yesterday afternoon for Pittsburgh a poorer but a wiser man. He is on his way to the St. Louis fair, with a party of other Danish gentlemen, in the interests of an educational institution of their country, and had been stopping at the Arlington hotel here for several days.

On Saturday evening he dined out, and while strolling back to his hotel he met a tall and stately blonde who attracted his attention. They struck up an acquaintance and when Mr. Loria finally arrived at his hotel he found that $640 was missing from a money belt fastened around his waist. He reported the matter to the police, who have thus far been unable to locate the blonde charmer. Mr. Loria left for Pittsburgh yesterday.

PRISONER IN JAIL VISITED BY MOTHER

Mrs. Theresa Khuny, mother of Venustus Khuny, visited her son yesterday in the Allegheny county jail. Khuny is the man who shot Joseph Miller in Allegheny on the morning of May 22, after the two had quarreled in Druiden hall in East street. The meeting was pathetic, as the mother and son had not met since the latter left Austria 15 months ago. Mrs. Khuny has secured employment as housekeeper for a family in Troy Hill, Allegheny, and will remain here until the case against her boy is disposed of. If Miller dies Khuny will face a murder charge.

CITY PREPARING TO SUE COAL COMPANY

The city authorities propose to bring suit against the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company to compel it to restore machinery alleged to have been taken from the city coal dock on the Allegheny river wharf, below the Ninth street bridge. The Saw Mill Run Coal Company also threatens to institute proceedings against the Monongahela company.

Dunkards Change Name of Crurch.

CARTHAGE, MO., May 23.—The Dunkards, or the German Baptists of the United States, convened here today in annual conference with more than 100 delegates present. One of the first acts of the conference was the adoption of a motion to change the name of the organization. Hereafter they are to be known only as German Baptists.

Unitarians Meet at Boston.

BOSTON, May 23.—Unitarians from various parts of the country assembled here today for the annual meeting of the American Unitarian association. The convention will last until Saturday.

Unitarians of New England generally will observe the occasion as a notable anniversary of their denomination.

Natural Filtered Water for Homestead.

The Homestead water department yesterday completed its first natural filter well, finding bed rock at 69 feet and passing through 20 feet of gravel and sand. The water found was of the best quality. Ten wells will be put down, which it is expected will supply the entire borough.

WASHINGTON ELKS CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

ROBERT W. IRWIN, Exalted Ruler. W. H. GRIFFITHS, Esteemed Lecturing Knight. E. E. CRUMRINE, Esteemed Loyal Knight.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 27.—(Special.)—Washington lodge 776, B. P. O. E., today celebrated the second anniversary of the organization of the lodge with a banquet. Many Elks from Pittsburgh and vicinity were present.

BURNING SHIP DRIFTS TO HER DESTRUCTION

One Man Fatally Burned and Three Others Narrowly Escape Death.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—The three-masted schooner Fanny Adele, laden with oil and merchandise for Cape Nome, was set on fire today by an explosion, which occurred while she was lying at the Sixteenth street wharf. The vessel was cut loose from her moorings and drifted down the bay a mass of flames.

The schooner was burned to the water's edge, and is a total loss. It was owned principally by C. J. Hendrys Sons & Co., of San Francisco. The cargo was chiefly the property of the Standard Oil Company. The loss is $100,000. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Joseph Manne, a seaman, was probably fatally burned, and three other men narrowly escaped death.

COLLEGE CANNOT MOVE.

Supreme Court Says Thiel Must Stay at Greenville—Other Decisions.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—In the case of Packard and Thiel college the appeal from the Mercer county court's decree was affirmed by the supreme court today at cost of appellant. The college by this decree is permanently located at Greenville.

Other decisions rendered were as follows: Fletcher, administrator, vs. Hobitzell, et al., C. P., Bedford; judgment reversed and the court below is directed to enter judgment on the verdict for the plaintiff. Gundaker vs. Ehrgett, C. P., Crawford; decree affirmed. Curry vs. City of Erie, C. P., Erie; judgment affirmed. Township of Mill Creek vs. Erie Rapid Transit Company, C. P., Erie; decree affirmed. The Altoona Belt Line Street Railway Company vs. the City Passenger Company of Altoona, C. P., Blair; decree affirmed at appellant's cost. The Altoona Belt Line Extension Street Railway Company vs. the City Passenger Railway Company of Altoona, Pa., C. P., Blair; decree affirmed and appeal dismissed at the appellant's cost. Wharton vs. City of Bradford, C. P., McKean; judgment affirmed. Dickson vs. Wood, C. P., Fayette; judgment affirmed.

ELECT HOSPITAL DIRECTORS.

South Side Medical Society Chooses Representatives on Board and Elects Officers.

The South Side Medical Society last night elected two representatives on the board of directors of the South Side hospital, only one ballot being taken. One director was elected to serve for a full term of five years, the other to serve out the unexpired term of the late Dr. J. M. Duff.

Dr. G. P. Rossman and Dr. T. P. Cochran were candidates for the unexpired term, and Dr. Rossman was elected, the vote standing, Rossman 23 and Cochran 16. Dr. W. T. Burleigh was elected full term director over Dr. W. McCombs, the former receiving 25 votes and the latter 13.

The officers of the society for the ensuing year were also elected, as follows: Dr. William Frederick, president; Dr. A. C. Frank, treasurer; Dr. W. S. Charles, secretary; Dr. L. Hapgood, librarian, and Dr. A. D. Husted, censor.

FELL INTO BONFIRE.

Baby So Badly Burned That It Died of the Injuries.

Leonard, the 19-months-old son of F. Lechner, 2404 Fifth avenue, fell into a bonfire in the rear of his home, about 6 o'clock last night, and was so badly burned that he died at the Homeopathic hospital four hours later.

Thomas Parker, aged 59, died at his home, Cooley station, yesterday, from injuries received in the No. 1 mine of the Pittsburgh Terminal Railroad and Coal Company, Castle Shannon, last Wednesday. He was assistant fire boss and was standing on the slope of the mine when John Yates, a driver, started three cars down the track. One of the cars jumped and Parker was crushed between it and the side of the mine.

Agnes Onus, aged 61, colored, of 6607 Bower street, died suddenly at her home yesterday and the coroner was notified. Investigation showed that death was due to consumption.

After More of the Minor Offenses.

The police were yesterday instructed to prevent the littering of the streets with waste paper and broken glass and to report all infractions of this rule to the inspector. Orders were also issued forbidding foreign banks to keep open on Sunday. There are bout 50 of these institutions in the Webster avenue and Penn avenue districts. These offenses are already forbidden by ordinance.

WASHINGTON BOY IS APPOINTED BY QUAY

NORTON M'GIFFIN, JR.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—United States Senator Matthew Stanley Quay, prior to his leaving Morganza for his home at Beaver, nominated Norton McGiffin, Jr., of Washington, as midshipman at the United States Naval academy at Annapolis. This appointment is for the state of Pennsylvania at large. McGiffin's appointment is to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Midshipman Albert of New Castle, who quit the navy on account of ill health. Senator Quay graduated from Jefferson college and it was his wish to fill the vacancy by the selection of a student of his alma mater, so the choice fell upon McGiffen of the freshman class at W. and J.

DETAILS ARRANGED FOR MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Officers Appointed, Route of Parade Outlined and Exercises Fixed in Allegheny.

George L. Irwin, commander of the Memorial day parade and exercises in Allegheny, has issued an order naming J. L. Shook, post 88, adjutant general, and John S. Nichol, post 162, assistant adjutant general. The other staff officers appointed are:

Chief of staff, Frederick Cardinal, Post 128; chaplain-in-chief, Samuel Hough, Post 128; medical director, John H. Douthett, Post 162; master of transportation, Samuel S. Ferguson, Post 162; assistant, James Langsdale, Post 128; William C. Martin, Camp 33, Sons of Veterans; Charles Swaney, Camp 98, S. of V.; James A. Duff, Post 162; Henry Zimmerman, Post 128; aides, John Forster and James Lowrie, Post 88; Charles G. Reble and S. B. Shock, Camp 33; John Oatman, Samuel Lippert, Post 128; Levi Richardson, Samuel Jennings, Camp 98; W. B. Bradbury, J. J. Young, Post 162; Charles McKeever, J. E. Thorn, Jenkins Camp.

The staff officers and aids will report at Federal street and Stockton avenue, at 7:45 a. m. on the morning of May 30, and an aid will be detailed to escort each command to its place. The formation of the parade is as follows:

Swifts' Boys' Brigade, Major Morgan McCombs; Friend W. Jenkins Camp, Spanish War Veterans; Sixth Ward Girls' brigade, Walter Shook, commanding; American Military Band, Post 162, G. A. R.; Providence Military association, Capt. F. Burkhardt; Voegtley Cadets; G. A. R. band, Post 128; Second Pennsylvania Regiment Boy's brigade, Capt. G. T. Bardoner; Camp 98, Sons of Veterans; Camp 33, Sons of Veterans; Grey's Sewickley band, Post 88, G. A. R.; Second Pennsylvania Regiment Boys' brigade.

Voegtley cadets and post 128 will take charge of the decorations in Uniondale No. 1, while a detail of six men from each post, under command of Comrade W. H. Graham, will go to Highwood cemetery.

The movement of the parade will commence upon the firing of a signal bun of the battery of post 128, at 8:45 and will go east on Stockton avenue to Union avenue, to Montgomery, to Arch street, to North avenue, to Buena Vista street, to Jackson street, to Fremont street, to Brighton avenue, to cemeteries.

After the decoration of the graves all commands will assemble at the platform in division 3, of Uniondale, where the exercises take place. Music will be furnished by the American Military band and Brown's chapel choir. The Rev. Walter Thorp of the First Christian church will deliver the oration. At Troy Hill cemetery the oration will be delivered by the Rev. B. D. Louther, with music by Grey's Sewickley band.

MADE LOVE AND ROBBED.

Street Car Conductor Held for Court for Victimizing Servant Girls.

Richard Harrington, a conductor of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, who says he lives at 2554 Fifth avenue, was held to court last night by Alderman E. C. Negley on two charges of larceny. The particular offense for which Harrington was arrested last week was committed a month ago. It was told last night by the victim, Ella Linberg, a pink-cheeked Swedish servant girl of South Negley avenue. "I was riding home about 8 o'clock on this fellow's car. I asked for a transfer to Negley avenue," said the girl, "but he told me to sit still, that he'd take me home. I said 'no,' as I was going to see the play, 'Yon Yonson.' 'Well,' he said, 'I'll take you there.' And I sat still. When we got to the car barn he took my bundle and said he'd lock it up till the next night and bring it to me. On our way home he asked, 'What time is it?' and when I pulled out my watch he said, 'Give it to me. I'll have the chain fixed and bring it to you tomorrow night. That's the last I saw of the watch."

The Swede took her newly found companion into the kitchen, but after a brief conversation she fled upstairs. Harrington, making the best of the opportunity, took the girl's pocketbook and four yards of ribbon, so it is alleged, and departed. Three weeks afterwards the servant, who had been watching night and day for the sight of the conductor, spotted him and caused his arrest. The second charge of larceny was preferred by Mary Bosto of Sheridan avenue, who told a similar story. She alleges that Harrington stole $8 from the house where she is employed. The police believe they have made an important capture. In the Bunker Hill barn, where Harrington made his headquarters, a number of lockers have been recently robbed.

AT THE SHORE.

Pittsburghers Are Already Sojourning at the Atlantic City Hotels.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 23.—(Special.)—J. S. Lloyd, a drygoods merchant of Sharon Hill, Pa., is at the Rio Grande. Mrs. M. J. Matlack and Miss Matlack of Braddock are at the Westminster for several weeks' stay. J. O. Wood of Pittsburgh is at the Garden hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Blanchard, who were in New York on April 27, and who have been spending their honeymoon in this city at the Garden, have returned to their future home in Pittsburgh.

A jolly party of Pittsburghers stopping at the Brighton are: Mrs. Elizabeth Lloyd, Mrs. Harry J. King, Miss E. L. Bennett, M. J. Foley and Davison Lloyd. Miss H. W. Macbeth of Pittsburgh is at the Hotel Brighton for an indefinite period. Mrs. E. W. Simpson of East Liverpool is at the Westminster.

BOYS ROBBED HOUSE.

Youths Force Entrance to Halket Street Home and One Confesses.

By cutting through a screen door, thieves yesterday afternoon stole a chatelaine bag from the residence of Robert T. Hipsley, Halket street. The bag contained a few coins and street car tickets.

The loss was immediately reported to the Oakland police, with the result that James McCool, aged 15 years, of 3795 Fifth avenue, was arrested on suspicion. He later confessed and implicated John Foley, aged 13 years, of 1 Solar street, who was also arrested. After appropriating the contents the bag was thrown over the Halket street bridge. It was recovered.

James Kane is Dead.

James Kane, aged 61, died at his residence, 810 Trenton avenue, Wilkinsburg, yesterday morning of peritonitis. He was born in Darlington, Beaver county, where, until 12 years ago, he followed the occupation of a farmer. Later he was employed by the Union Switch and Signal Company. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Wilkinsburg. Mr. Kane is survived by two sons, John and William, and two daughters, Nannie and Mary, all of Wilkinsburg; also by two brothers, Frank and Harry, and two sisters, Eliza and Ida, residents of Darlington, Pa.

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

And you'll be all right in the morning.

PARKER'S FOES TO MEET AT SHORE

Tammany and Hearst Men Will Try to Prevent Further States Instructing.

MURPHY TALKS OUT STRONGLY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Young's Ocean Pier.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 23.

An important political conference and one that will have a bearing on the coming presidential election, will be held in Atlantic City during the week under the direction of Tammany hall leaders. Invitations to attend the conference have been sent all the important Democratic leaders, who, like Tammany, are opposed to the nomination of Judge Parker for president. It is the object of the conference to have these leaders present and also have them say that they are not in favor of the nomination of the judge.

On the face of it, there is every reason to believe, considering the fact that Hearst men are in the city, that the rulers of an agreement between Tammany hall and the New York congressman cease to be conjectures, but facts positive. The Tammany delegation in this city at present awaiting other prominent politicians, is headed by Charles F. Murphy, the recognized leader of Tammany hall. With him are Phil. A. Donohue, the treasurer of that organization; J. Sergeant Crall, chairman of Tammany's central committee, and they await the arrival of Corporation Counsel John K. Delaney, who for the past month has been in the west lining up the leaders in Indiana. Ex-Sheriff Tom Dunn is also expected to be on hand tomorrow.

Would Prevent Instruction.

The purpose of the confab is to get the assurance of the leaders of those delegates who are to go to the St. Louis convention uninstructed to remain uninstructed. It is Mr. Murphy's intention to form such a strong organization that when the time for the convention arrives the opposition to Judge Parker will be so great that the leaders of the party will recognize the uselessness of placing him at the head of the ticket.

There can no longer be any doubt of an agreement between Hearst and Tammany Hall. Mr. Murphy has not said that he favors the nomination of the New York editor, but he is doing his best to defeat the candidacy of Judge Parker. He made this statement today: "Some time ago I announced that Tammany Hall was opposed to the candidacy of Judge Parker. We have not changed our minds in this respect. It's not so much the man we are fighting as his principles and the clique with him, among the members Belmont. Their platform, they saddled on the judge of conservative Democracy all but favors the trusts, and Tammany Hall will, if necessary, go to St. Louis and on the floor of the National convention register its protest against the nomination of Judge Parker. I have not stated preference for any candidate, but I am opposed to Judge Parker."

Outlines the Situation.

A gentleman with the party outlined the situation in this statement: "There will be a conference in this city some time during the week. Corporation Counsel Delaney is expected to report in this city as to the progress of his work in Indiana, and we expect Col. Guffey to be here also. It is Mr. Murphy's intention to get an organization of uninstructed delegates and keep them such until they enter the national convention. Judge Parker has not won this fight by any means. Up to date he has secured 13 delegates. Mr. Hearst has instructed for him 102 delegates and there are now 157 uninstructed delegates. Several conventions are yet to be held, and it is in those states that the great fight will be made to send the delegates to the national convention without instructions."

GUESTS OF GOVERNOR.

Supreme Court Justices to Dine With Chief Executive Next Week.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—(Special.)—According to a private dispatch received in this city this morning Gov. Pennypacker has extended an invitation to dinner to the justices of the supreme court of Pennsylvania at the executive mansion at a date next week to be fixed by the justices. The invitation has already been accepted by all the members of the court and the time fixed is very satisfactory, as the court adjourns its eastern sittings on Thursday of this week.

The fact that the governor has extended this invitation to the court puts an end to the many published rumors that unfriendly relations have been existing between the governor and the court.

Afro-American League Convention

The executive board of the Afro-American league met last night at 1814 Wylie avenue and decided to call a convention to meet in Commercial hall on June 17. All organizations affiliated with the league are invited to elect delegates at once. John H. Scott presided at last night's meeting and J. M. F. Foster was secretary.

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LIVELY TIMES AMONG MUSICIANS

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Without special heraldry, or trumpeting, or frantic framing of excuses, W. F. Frederick just quietly announced that until June 1, 1904, his entire stock of new and perfect pianos would be sold at a reduction of 20 per cent—$20 off each hundred of the regular established prices of these great pianos.

The only reason assigned was that he desired to reduce his stock before stocktaking.

The public immediately coupled two well-known facts with this almost startling announcement.

The people well knew that Mr. Frederick does not make sensational announcements for effect—does not resort to tricky advertising.

The other fact, equally well known, is that Mr. Frederick handles exclusively the best pianos in the world—headed by the great Chickering, America's first, and now, as ever, the world's acknowledged leader.

No less usual was it for the others on the list to be offered so under price.

The natural consequence was a grand rush of purchasers, for who that contemplated buying a piano in the near future would not avail themselves of such an opportunity as this to save money.

In connection with this cutting of price, this house allows easy terms of payment if desired.

All goods marked in plain figures. You can see just how much you are saving.

Pianos that have a standard price all over the world are offered 20 per cent off.

And another interesting feature of the sale is the extraordinary price made on slightly used or shopworn instruments.

We can only mention a few of our 306 bargains:

Sohmer Upright Piano, perfect, slightly used (worth $300). Now..........$145
4 Behr Bros. Upright Pianos. Sold by other dealers for $400. Now $285
Steinway Upright, used, perfect, beautiful rosewood case $215
$400 Krakauer Upright Piano, used, perfect condition. Now,...........$190
20 new Upright Pianos, reliable makes, latest improvements. Sold by other dealers at retail for $300. Our price to anybody, $190; $15 cash down and $6 per month.
$500 Hardman upright, San Domingo mahogany case, used at Nixon Theater for a few weeks. Perfect......$292
Six baby grand pianos, world's best makes. Sold the world over at retail from $700 to $900. These are slightly used, just like new, perfect condition. Fully guaranteed. Our price now ....$450 to $530
$600 Steinway upright piano, mahogany case. Large size, perfect....$350
$600 Chickering upright piano, colonial style, Just like new, perfect..$368
$500 Knabe upright, taken in exchange on Chickering grand, used two years. Mahogany case. Splendid condition. Now $220
$450 Schomacker upright, new, now...$200
10 new upright pianos. Sold the world over for $375 at retail. These pianos are old reliable makes. Over fifty years before the public. Our price now, guaranteed first-class (rare bargains) $247
Fischer upright. One of their best styles. Used four months. Taken in exchange on a Chickering upright. Perfect. Now $190
Steinway Square Piano, perfect....$ 85
Weber Square Piano, perfect.........$ 85

Six new sample pianos, sold by other dealers for $300. Full size, ivory keys; guaranteed; our price while they last, $178.

$600 Chickering upright mahogany, varnish work slightly damaged in shipping from factory to our store; rare bargain, $438.

$250 Pianola, slightly used; good as new, $148.

$115 Estey organs, new, rare bargains; now $78.

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WANT TO DEFEAT THE BOND ISSUE

Larkin Talks of Town Meeting to Organize Opponents of Expenditure.

HILL WILL MAKE A SPEECH

Controller Larkin yesterday announced that opponents of the $5,000,000 bond issue would probably organize to fight the floating of the debt. The plan includes a town meeting at Old City hall with James W. Hill, the Philadelphia expert, to make an address on preliminary filtration.

It has been known for some time that Controller Larkin and others intended to make an active campaign against the filtration bond issue. Little has been given out concerning their plans. There have been inklings, however, about the intention of Mr. Larkin, George W. Guthrie, W. H. Stevenson and others going on the stump. They will not oppose filtration, but will argue that $7,500,000 is too much to expend for the plant.

The bond election will be held on July 12. At the same time the people will vote on an issue of $2,000,000 for the reduction of the bump. The opponents of filtration will probably keep up the fight, even though they are defeated at the polls. here is any opportunity to cry fraud nnection with the election, litigation follow. It may be that an attempt be made to get the matter into the ts prior to the election. Litigation ld at least result in the delay of the of the bonds, as the opponents figure no one would want to buy a law

Statement About Trip.

ontroller Larkin yesterday issued a tement concerning his second visit to ladelphia to see the preliminary filter nt. He accompanied the committee of ect councilmen. The committee has not de any report to councils. Mr. Larkin more enthusiastic than ever about preliminary system. He thinks that councilmen should visit the plant. He ncludes his statement as follows:

Mr. Hill has promised the councilmen come out here and meet the public d address them on the subject of pre- inary filtration, and that will probly be the beginning of a campaign that y end disastrously for the bond omers. In that event Old City hall will obably be chosen for an old-time town eting, and organized resistance to a rrupt scheme, under the guise of pure ater, may be inaugurated. Bad as Philadelphia is, she has recognized the force and value of taking 'saw logs,' fish, mud and vegetable growths out of raw river water before depositing it in expensive filter beds."

Snyder Makes Appointments.

Auditor General Snyder yesterday completed the list of appointments for Allegheny county. J. H. Harrison and Thomas D. Schultz of Pittsburgh have been appointed attorneys for the department in the office of County Treasurer Collingwood. The appointees succeed John D. Brown and the late A. F. Byrne. Schultz is a nephew of Thomas S. Bigelow. Ex-Representative James McC. Robb and Representative Robert McWhinney have been reappointed clerks in the county treasurer's office.

Mr. Snyder has also reappointed S. J. Graham attorney in the office of Register of Wills Stengel and concurred in the appointment by Mr. Stengel of Charles T. Abbott as a clerk in his office. Mr. Stengel has concurred in the appointments by the auditor general of County Chairman Ford as attorney for the department in his office, in place of Richard B. Scandrett, and the reappointment of H. H. Bengough as a clerk.

The supreme court has decided that Mayors Hays and Wyman are entitled to seats in the Allegheny county prison board. They have been seeking admission since the title of city executive was changed from recorder to mayor. The board ruled that they were not entitled to membership. Judge McClung decided in favor of the mayors and now the supreme court has affirmed his decision.

NEW ENGINEERS AT WESTINGHOUSE WORKS

John B. Allen and Arthur West With Expert Workmen Have Been Given Good Positions.

The Westinghouse Machine Company's works at East Pittsburgh and Trafford City have never in the history of the company been so busy as they are at present. The output of steam engines, steam turbines and gas engines is larger than at any past time. The heavy volume of orders during the past year led the company to add greater efficiency to its present organization.

Among prominent engineers recently engaged are John B. Allen and Arthur West of the Alis-Chalmers Company. Mr. Allen becomes western manager of the Westinghouse Machine Company, with headquarters at Chicago, while Mr. West has become chief engineer, with headquarters at East Pittsburgh. Several other prominent engineers of the Allis-Chalmers Company have also been engaged, as well as a number of first-class men.

Mr. West has gone to Europe to investigate the methods of British and continental engine builders.

Gross Held for Hearing.

James Gross, colored, ex-janitor in the public safety building, was yesterday held in $100 bail by Magistrate Stewart for a hearing tomorrow on a charge of larceny. He is alleged to have represented himself as an officer, and secured a diamond ring from Charles Schmidt.

Reduction in Rates on Interchangeable Mileage Tickets.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has reduced its rate on interchangeable mileage tickets, when used for continuous passage between Pittsburgh and Baltimore. Call at ticket offices for full information.

Excursion to Ohio Pyle, Decoration Day, May 30. Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m. Fare $1.50 round trip.

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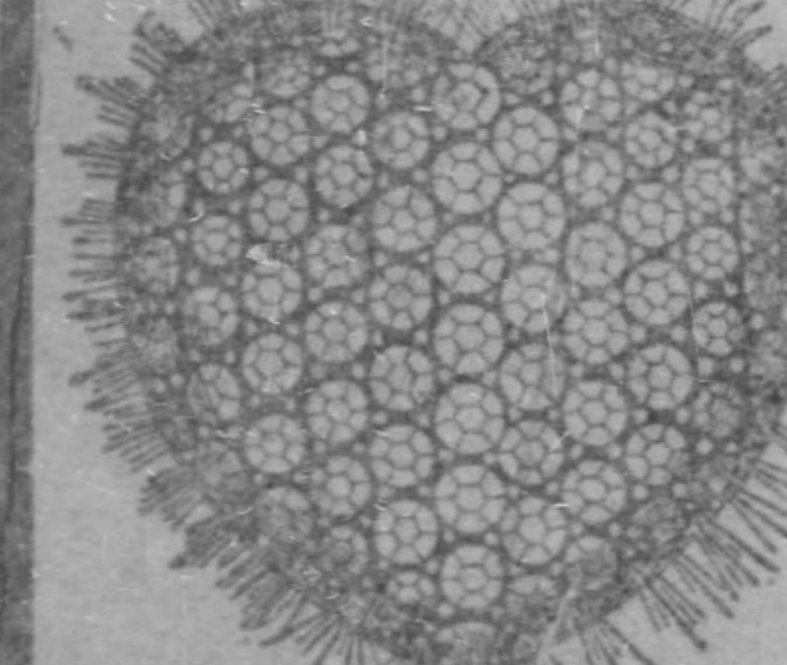

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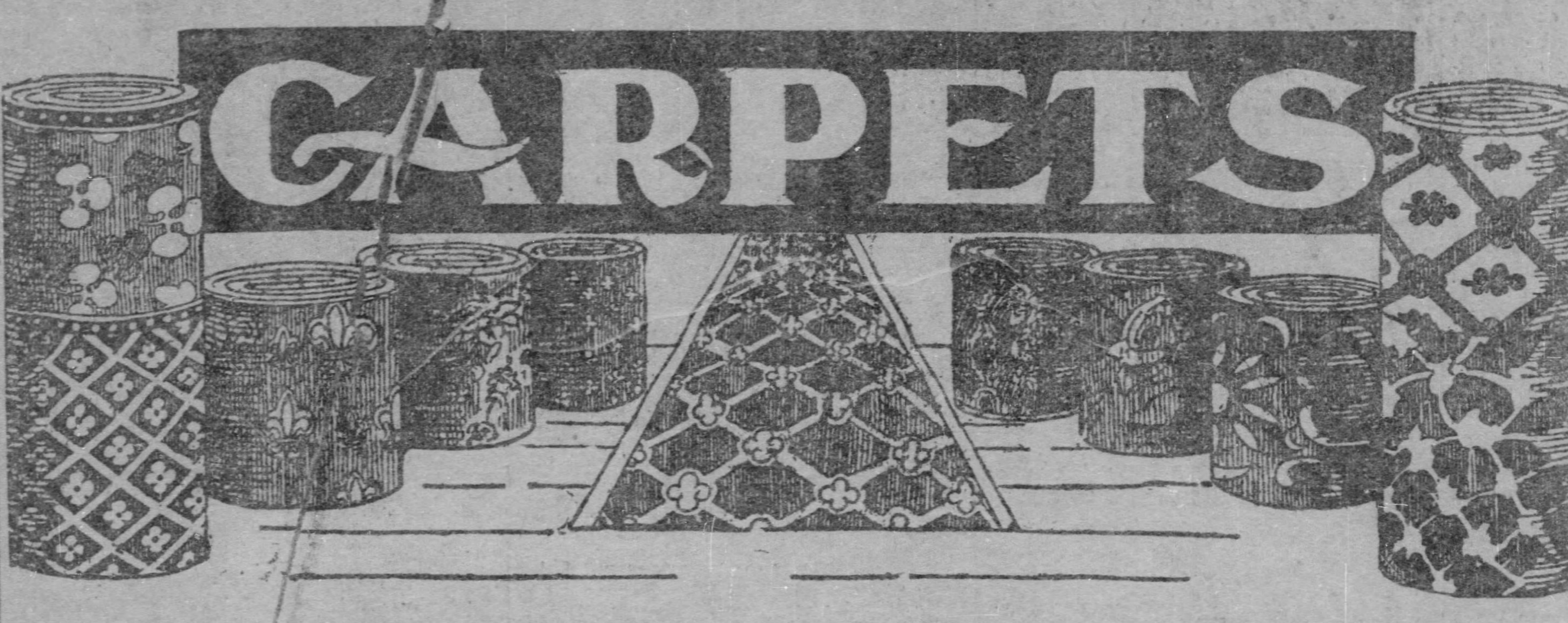

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27x54-in. Axminster Rugs	$ 3.50
36x72-in. Axminster Rugs	$ 5.50
36x72-in. Royal Wilton Rugs	$ 5.00
36x63-in. Royal Wilton Rugs	$ 8.00
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Heavy Cottage Carpet	40c
Heavy Rag Carpet	50c
Extra Heavy Rag Carpet	55c
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Good Velvet Carpet	$1.20
Heavy Velvet Carpet	$1.50
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Size 9x10.6 Tapestry Rugs	$16.00
Size 9x12 Tapestry Rugs	$22.00
Size 9x12 Brussels Rugs	$35.00
Size 9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs	$36.00
Size 9x12 Axminster Rugs	$35.00
Size 9x12 Royal Wilton Rugs	$55.00

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Good Nottingham Curtains	$1.50
Good Nottingham Curtains	$2.00
Good Nottingham Curtains	$3.00
Fine Irish Point Curtains	$6.00
Fine Renaissance Curtains	$7.50
Fine Arabian Lace Curtains	$10.00
Fine Battenberg Lace Curtains	$12.00
Tapestry Portiere Curt'ns	$3.00
Tapestry Portiere Curt'ns	$4.00
Tapestry Portiere Curt'ns	$5.00
Tapestry Portiere Curt'ns	$6.00

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Tuesday, May 24, 1904.

Flags for Memorial Day.

A day that should be observed more in the letter than in the spirit, and it is with much satisfaction we note that the observance this year will be all that its sponsors intended it should be.

Already we have sold an immense number of Flags, and we are in a position to meet any demand. We have all sizes in Silk Flags, from the tiny affair up to as large as they make flags of silk. Then we have all sizes in Bunting Flags, the bunting of the same grade the Government specifies for its flags, strictly all wool. Prices will be found lowest.

Flags are on sale in the East Basement, also today in main aisle, West Store, and in the West Basement we have cotton Bunting, in tri-colors, often used for decorations. This is 25 inches wide, with or without stars, 4c a yard. Red, white and blue Bunting, 45 inches wide, fast color, 12½c a yard. Red, white and blue Muslin Bunting, fast color, with stars, or blue only, or all-over stars, 5c a yard.

All-wool Bunting, United States standard, is on sale in Dress Goods division of West Store.

Commencing Today Another Sale of Potted Flowers and Plants.

In view of next Monday being set apart as the special day for decorating the graves of deceased soldiers of the Civil War and the later Spanish War, this sale comes opportunely for those who observe the beautiful custom of placing flowers on soldiers' graves.

These flowers are all full of Nature's best health, they are already potted, so they can either be left in the pots or transplanted.

They will be found at entrance to East Basement in street floor of East Store, or in the East Basement.

Large Geraniums, $1.50 a dozen.
Palms, 40c each and up to $5.50.
Spring Rye, 15c each.
Ferns, 40c each and up to $3.50.
Moon Vines, 15c each.
Extra large Rubber Plants, $1.75.
Umbrella Plants, 12½c each.
Coleus, 75c a dozen.

The Sale of Women's Suits for Great Reductions

The suits that brought so many women to this department yesterday have been rearraged for today's selling, so that we (and you) can get at them easily.

And many other little lots have been added to brighten up the lines that were so rapidly depleted yesterday. It is advisable to be as early as possible. The best go out first.

Sometimes it happens that a quick response to a sale like this makes a big gap in the amount of goods offered, but in this instance we had an immense lot of splendid suits to dispose of for about what the skirt of the suit alone is worth.

$5 Suits, just a few of them left, were $15.
$8.50 Suits, about 35 of these, sold for $20.
$10.75 Suits, fully 50 of these that sold for $22.
$13.75 Suits, unapproachable today for less than $25.
$16.50 Suits, about 100 fine suits, skirts alone worth the price, whole suit a good value for $30.
$20 Suits, this collection is made up of suits that sold for $30 and $40.
$25 Suits that we cannot match today for less than $50 to $60.

Paris Model Gowns Reduced.

We buy each season a great many fine gowns made by the leading dressmakers of Paris, as well as from equally expert makers in America. The requirements of our patrons and our semi-annual opening displays make this a necessary and important feature of our suit department. Many of these gowns (all the foreign ones, in fact) are not copied but sold as originals. The waning season and the passing of the display period cause us to offer our entire remaining stock at infinitely low prices. Reductions in some instances are fully one-half.

We do this because we believe it best to distribute them among wearers while they are fresh and in demand. As to style, they will be as modish one year hence as they are today—it's only a "faddish" gown that goes out of style quickly. These gowns are the sort that one can wear, as a lady so aptly put it recently. They're not faddish nor freaky, the styles are correct, the garniture has class, the materials are worthy---all in all an opportunity to be taken advantage of.

We mention but a few---others equally as interesting.

Gown of white chiffon and lace over white. $88 from $125.
Gown of white crepe and lace, $125 from $250.
Gown of black chiffon over white, $100 from $150.
Gown of black crepe de chine, $90 from $125.
Gown of black chantilly lace, $78 from $100.
Gown of lace voile, $56 from $75.
Gown of pink crepe de chine, $69 from $85.
Gown of blue liberty silk, $48 from $65.
Gown of tan crepe, $73 from $100.
Gown of gray boutonne crepe, $95 from $140.
Gown of black dot net lace over white, $150 from $328.
Gown of tan crepe, $45 from $59.
Gown of blue voile, $40 from $60.
Tailored gown of tan shantung, $50 from $85.
Gown of white voile, $45 from $60.
Gown of white voile, $56 from $75.
Gown of white voile, $44 from $59.

Silk-and-Cotton Mulls, 14c a Yard.

One of the important events of today will be a sale of silk and cotton mulls, in the imported wash goods section, West Store. All women know the material. They know it is the daintiest of light weight Summer fabrics for hot weather dresses. They know how stylishly it makes up, as well.

The mull we offer for 14c is our regular 20c grade, and was a very good value at that price.

Shown in all the leading colorings.

Jewelry Items to Interest Everybody.

Fashion is as great a dictator in matters of bijouterie today as in the important matter of dress. And most everybody likes to have at least the trifles in jewelry conform. Here are some up-to-date items for today's selling—

Mother of pearl waist sets—similar to those that created quite a sensation at 18c a set—selling them today at the ridiculously low price of 8c for set of three. They fasten with pins.

Hatpins of gunmetal and gold plate—a line of very attractive designs—25c each.

Cameo Belt Pins, bar pins and stick pins, the regular 50c kind today, 18c each.

A Word on Recreation and Summer Amusements.

What is your favorite diversion for the long Summer afternoon or evening? Perhaps nothing suits you better than idly swinging in a comfortable hammock. Or do you enjoy a more active form of recreation—golfing or playing tennis?

It doesn't much matter, we are prepared to fit you out with everything necessary.

We have every sort of hammocks, that is, every sort that's meritorious—from $1.00 to $6.50.

We have different kinds of Lawn Swings and Porch Swings—the former of wood or iron—the latter of wood or wicker.

We have the standard Golf Goods.

We have the best Tennis Goods.

We have the right sort of Baseball paraphernalia.

Step down into this East Basement and look at the many things there for the comfort and amusement of young and old, every sort of outdoor game, and lots of indoor games, as well.

All priced rightly, all just as represented.

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There is good reason in the agitation started by the naval board at Washington for limitations upon the placing of contact mines for harbor protection and other purposes. The international law fixing three miles from the coast line as the limit of national jurisdiction over the sea is wise and seems to offer a sound basis for limiting the distribution of explosive mines. It is not to be supposed that any such limit will be rigidly observed in time of war if violation appears to offer great advantage, but it would fix a basis for damages in the event of injury to neutral shipping and would tend to discourage the indiscriminate sowing of mines in waters likely to be traversed by neutral shipping. In any case it is a fair, open question whether submarine mines are any more humane than dum-dum bullets.

A law has been passed by the Massachusetts legislature declaring it to be illegal for any person to give to the servant or employe of another any gratuity, thing of value, or promise of such compensation with intent to influence such servant or employe to act against the interest of his or her employe. The act also makes it an offense against the state for any servant or employe to accept such a bribe. The penalty for giver or taker is a fine ranging from $10 to $500 for each offense. The act evidently has a two-fold purpose, to discourage the tipping evil and to provide a punishment for persons who employ tips on larger scale to obtain information concerning the business of rivals. It is a good law if means can be found for its enforcement. Bribery and graft are much too common in both private and public business.

The action of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in passing resolutions demanding that ministers shall not officiate at the marriage of persons who have been divorced on non-scriptural grounds, will be indorsed by all believers in the sanctity of the home. The churches have a great power to wield in this question, and the proposed inter-church congress to discuss the laws on marriage and divorce should have wide influence. Easy divorce makes hasty marriage, and the marriage obligation is too sacred to be taken in any but a spirit of reverence. If the churches, through the inter-church congress, would start a crusade for a national divorce law they would have strong support. While the ministers can do much by acting upon the resolutions of the Presbyterian general assembly, less will be thus accomplished than would be through one law for all states.

A correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung gives some shocking details of conditions in Manchuria under Russian domination. Two Russian army officers are under sentence of death for selling powder to the Chinese bandits. But the acts of the Russian civilians come in for greater condemnation from the correspondent. "Peasant settlers test their new rifles by taking natives for targets." He says: "One engineer with whom I traveled did not salute a well-known Russian officer because the latter shot eight of the engineer's best laborers in wantonness." If such stories can be true, it is not to be wondered that the natives are only waiting for the day when they can fall upon their tormenter, or that the bandits are falling upon the Russian outposts at every opportunity. We are prone to speak of Russia as a civilized nation, but stories coming from the far east, as well as conditions at home, would indicate that this is a misnomer.

The Rev. Edward Thompson, secretary of the International Congress on Sunday Rest, is in the city interesting the local ministers in the congress. Undoubtedly the congress will provoke wide discussion, for the word "rest" means different things to different men. Surely we are all in favor of resting one day in the week. It is a law of nature that no man can work all the time, and it is best, whenever possible, to make Sunday a day of rest. To a man who works in an office, sitting at home on Sunday with books and papers is not rest. He needs sunshine and air and exercise. The parks and the street cars furnish these. It might be said that the street car men also need rest. Yes, and the street car man needs a different sort of rest from that demanded by the business man. The street car man is on his feet during his working hours, and he needs a rest that he can have sitting or lying down. The mill worker should get as far away from the mill as possible, away from the noise and the dust. And so it might be carried clear down through the different industries. Everyone needs a change, a restful recreation that does not smack of the work-a-day hours. These are the questions that are to be discussed by the Congress on Sunday Rest, and the discussion should be interesting, entertaining and instructive.

Soon in Hands of People.

Without a show of serious opposition select council passed both the bond issue ordinances yesterday and the matters are now in the hands of Mayor Hays. Later they will have to be passed upon by the voters at the polls, and it appears that is where the opposition has from the first been preparing to fight them. If one can interpret City Controller Larkin, he and his friends seem to be organizing an attack that may include both projects.

Filtration is so urgently necessary for the preservation of the public health that attempts to defeat or delay it on account of imaginary profligacy cannot be countenanced. The Gazette has shown why the present estimates are higher than those of the filtration commission, and the decision of Judge Buffington in the United States court explains why they must be ample, even at the risk of being slightly above actual requirements. Under these circumstances further opposition must be accredited to a desire to defeat the whole project in the interest of some patented device, or for the purpose of gaining some other selfish advantage at the cost of the community.

In the matter of the hump reduction, Director Bigelow adopted the wiser policy of giving information, and this seems to have had the desired effect upon the council. Very few persons would object to the reduction of the unsightly and inconvenient obstruction known as "the hump" if they were certain the cost of the improvement could be kept within the $2,000,000 proposed. Director Bigelow's information yesterday was in the right direction, but it is yet more a matter of assertion than proof. The fuller information, however, will be forthcoming before the special election is held. The chamber of commerce will employ experts to obtain it on the one side and Director Bigelow will, no doubt, see the wisdom of furnishing all that is at his command. Upon the promptitude and character of that information will depend the fate of the bond issue for hump reduction, for the voters understand the difference between this question of expediency and the question of necessity involved in the filtration of the water supply.

The Business Way.

The last issue of the London Spectator arriving in the mails contains some advertisements which display the business-like character of municipal administration in England. One advertisement sets forth that "the London council invites applications for the post" of superintendent of education. The term used in the advertisement is different, but that is what it means. The advertisement sets forth the duties of the position, states the salary and gives notice that the officer appointed will be required to give his whole time to the work. Applications with testimonials are to be sent to the clerk of the council, and the advertisement concludes with the warning that "canvassing, either directly or indirectly, will be held to be a disqualification for appointment." Similar advertisements from other municipal bodies appear, among them one from the county borough of Blackburn for a principal of "the municipal technical school."

This way of carrying on municipal business is characteristic not only of England, but also of Germany, Switzerland and other countries. It is no uncommon thing to see in a German paper advertisements for applications for municipal positions. It would be impossible to convince the people of a Swiss town that it would be possible in any civilized country to remove a competent librarian and put an ex-drug clerk in his place, as happened in Allegheny not long ago.

We talk a good deal about democratic principles in this country, but we have yet to learn how to assert such principles in municipal politics. With us, appointments to administrative service are nearly always the result of favor and influence, and we are so used to oligarchical rule that the idea of awarding any position without regard to politics and simply upon merit would raise a laugh. There is no reason why this should be so save while favoring democratic principles in theory we are careless as to practical application of them.

A Rest from the Burglars.

A robbery reported from Monongahela serves to remind the public that there had been previously an interruption to the series of burglaries that marked the early spring. The cracksmen, who obviously made their home near the center of Greater Pittsburgh, were busy through the winter and became extremely active with the first signs of spring. Almost every night a burglary was committed in the territory surrounding the cities, some nights two, until The Gazette was moved to remind the police administrations of Pittsburgh and Allegheny that it was their duty to do something. More or less specific denials were entered that any cracksmen were finding asylum in these cities, and then followed the singular cessation of safe-cracking.

If evidence had been needed that the knights of the "jimmy" had been hiding in this center of population, this sudden "let up" on the call to have them run down would have afforded the needed proof. But it is a matter of fact that professional safe-breakers always hide in the large towns, no matter where they pursue their nefarious business. They could not hide long in the country or in small towns, for their goings and comings would promptly excite suspicion. In the great crowd, and there only, can the professional burglar conceal his identity from the average citizen.

In the big town police and detective forces are maintained to find out what the average citizen has not time to attend to. And while the burglar may conceal his business from his neighbors, it is not possible for him to long deceive an alert and earnest police administration. This fact is so well known to the crooks that it is no very extraordinary thing for them to offer comparative immunity to towns where the police agree to keep hands off them. Occasionally police administrators have such a poor conception of their duty as to assume that it extends no further than the protection of the territory immediately under their jurisdiction. They are incapable of appreciating their moral obligation to society at large, and forget even that property owners in a city frequently live outside the corporate limits and should have there all of the security that may be given by the city police without going off their beats.

We hope, however, the cessation of burglarious activity is not merely temporary, but that the cracksmen have taken warning and gone away.

The Slav Invasion.

What Dr. Frank Julian Warne has said in his book of the Slav invasion of the anthracite coal region in Eastern Pennsylvania might all be repeated concerning the similar capture of the bituminous coal regions of Western Pennsylvania. It might then be amplified. The English, Welsh, Irish, Scotch and German miners have been replaced in the bituminous districts to an even greater extent than in the anthracite region by the men from eastern Europe. This movement has been due to three causes: First, the pressure of population and the oppression of government in the quarter referred to; second, the willingness of the immigrants from that quarter to work for low wages, and, third, their greater docility. The first mentioned cause brings the Slav here; the other two appeal to the employers.

It is further along to determine what shall be the ultimate result. While these races are more docile in submitting to regulations of employment, they are more given to disorder in their private life. Ordinarily ideal workmen in any capacity to which their intelligence and education are equal, when led by revolt they are most unreasoning and violent. When their passions are fully aroused there are those among them who do not hesitate at murder or arson.

Dr. Warne has found influences at work Americanizing the mass, and in these he finds encouragement. Education works wonders upon the second generation and precept and example affect the immigrants—particularly example. The standard of living is raised very soon after arrival. Yet there is no disguising the fact that the "Slav Invasion," as Dr. Warne calls it, has brought a serious sociological problem to us—a problem that is giving administrators, educators and good citizens, in the districts most largely concerned, moments of grave thought.

Col. Bryan will try to find the psycological moment to make a speech to stampede the St. Louis convention. Unfortunately for him, Col. Bryan's psycological moment was taken advantage of eight years ago.

They ought to have an exciting time in Ohio this week with the Democratic state convention in session. The strangest thing is that Tom Johnson is counted among the conservatives. Since when?

If the two doctors who ask $20,000 damages each because they were forced to leave their established location should win, it would knock out that old saw about a rolling stone gathering no moss.

The excursionists going to the St. Louis fair by boat will have the double pleasure of seeing the beauties of nature along the river and the artistic ideas of man at the end of the journey.

King Peter of Servia has not yet been crowned, but he has had several severe attacks of the uneasiness that is said to be the invariable accompaniment of that piece of head gear.

We may sneer at the lack of flowers in May,
And the coolness of weather deride,
But June is coming these evils to cure
With her delectable offering—the bride.

According to the Washington Star, "Tammany is in good form." We haven't consulted "Social Ethics" on the question, but we are willing to bet that the Star is mistaken.

The Panama officials are wise in depositing that $9,000,000 received from Uncle Sam in New York. What a morsel that would be for a revolutionary leader to fight for!

With the telephone in every farm house, and Marconi publishing newspapers on ocean liners, where can the tired business man go now to escape the worries of the world?

Between the usual brand of St. Louis climate and the hotel prices in that city it will not be difficult for world's fair visitors to have a "hot time in the old town."

The McKeesport police cannot figure on the proper punishment for an armless youth they have in custody. Certainly they cannot slap him on the wrist.

Some of the people who put up their money to back the recent "farewell tour" of Madame Patti in this country are still saying farewell to their money.

Between the deadlocks in the Republican camps and the lockjaw of the Democratic party leaders, the political situation is badly in need of keynotes.

The Kansas state text-book commission has decided that Gen. Frederick Fuston did not swim the Bag Bag river. Those Kansans are a jealous lot.

It is altogether inappropriate to speak of the "dying theatrical season." To thoughtful observers the thing has been dead for several months.

The Georgia banker who killed himself that his $1,000,000 life insurance might pay his debt had great "hindsight," but lacked foresight.

The European public servant association is revising its tipping scale in anticipation of an early influx of Americans.

The Socialistic indorsement of Hearst ought to bring Debs prominently forward in the also mentioned class.

The commencement orator will now begin to save the country, including, we trust, the peach crop.

Some Fanatics and Some Lunatics.

The patients of a Chicago lunatic asylum are to be taken to baseball games in the hope that the sport will relieve their mental condition. Anyhow the difference between them and other people will for the time being not be so noticeable.—Washington Star.

And Silence Is Never Silver!

It is notable that the state conventions which instruct for Hearst say nothing about the Kansas City platform and yet there are those who insist that Col. Bryan is favorable to the Hearst candidacy.—Topeka State Journal.

Talked of in Gotham

By GEORGE C. JENKS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Because it is dangerous to ride in an automobile in some of the byways of Manhattan, it is not to be supposed that the use of horseless vehicles by persons who can afford that style of locomotion is likely to be impossible in Greater New York altogether. The mob of hoodlums and "hicks," who knocked Mrs. Gotshall senseless in an East Side street, are typical of certain parts of the metropolis. For that matter, their kind may be found in any large city. In some thoroughfares on the extreme east and west sides of Manhattan any well-dressed person, whether riding in an automobile or not, is liable to be insulted, by men and boys who resent evidences of prosperity as a personal insult. The popularity of the automobile in New York is growing steadily. The very fact that the police are watching so closely to see that the legal speed limit is not exceeded is only an indication of the acceptance of the automobile as a factor in city life, which will become more prominent from year to year. At Morris park there have been at least 250 automobiles lined up every day of the races—many of them owned by people who in former years went by trains or horse-drawn carriages. On most of the asphalted streets of the city in the afternoons and evenings automobiles are as common as other carriages, and a large percentage of them are driven by women, with their chauffeurs sitting by their side, ready to help in case of trouble. Inasmuch as the auto is a toy for the wealthy and out of the reach of persons who cannot command much money, it is natural that the machine provokes the jealous ire of the kind of folk who attacked the Gotshall car. There is no greater significance in the assault than that. Nevertheless, automobilists feel that they have had one more trouble added to the many they have endured, and it is little wonder they want special legislation for their protection.

Prompt Books Willed to Library.

One of the most interesting features of the New York public library will be the collection of 3,000 prompt books willed to the institution by James Becks, the veteran actor who died in St. Louis last Tuesday. A prompt book gives a better idea of the theatrical side of a play than could be derived from reading the most carefully edited copy prepared for ordinary reading. Many of the books which the public library is about to acquire are in the handwriting of Booth, Forrest, Macready and similar giants of the stage. Their own stage directions are given, as well as the speeches with the "cuts" which experience showed these men were desirable. Read a prompt book of any of Shakespeare's plays and compare it with the full text to be found in the accepted printed version, and it will be found that there are many marked differences. A prompt book is a working tool, and as such brings one into intimate touch with the person who wielded it.

To Legalize Running Races.

Pressure will be brought on the legislature of New Jersey in the next session to get a law passed which will legalize running races in the state. There will be bitter opposition, of course. Residents of the state have not forgotten the unspeakable Guttenberg and other tracks, which harbored fraud to such an extent that the fair name of the state was besmirched from end to end. Trotting races are carried on in New Jersey in a half-hearted way at Clifton and other tracks, but these are too tame for the horsemen behind the movement for a revival of running meetings. There will probably be some tall lobbying by turfmen at Trenton when the legislature gets to work again.

Duss Played "Gazette March."

"The Pittsburgh Gazette March" was the first number on the program at the John S. Duss concert tonight in Madison Square garden. The stirring melody, arranged by Mr. Duss himself for his orchestra, filled the vast auditorium in a resounding flood of tone, and provoked tremendous applause. It was one of the most popular selections of the evening.

For a "Requiem" at Coney.

A Pittsburgher residing in New York wrote a "requiem mass" some time ago which is played in many churches both in New York and elsewhere. A stranger dropped into his "den" this morning and asked him if he could make an arrangement of the closing adagio movement of the mass. "What do you want to do with it?" asked the Pittsburgher. "The last movement is only a small part of the work." "We cannot use any more of it," was the reply. "We want it for the finale of the realistic fire scene at Coney Island. We will play it over the ruins." The Pittsburgher smiled and accepted the commission, although, as he told me, it jarred his artistic sense to think of his "grant them rest eternal" being used to make a Coney Island holiday.

Children Fall from Trains.

Twice within two weeks have children fallen from the windows of "L" trains. In neither case was the accident fatal immediately, although death followed in one instance. A three-year-old boy contrived to tumble out of a window on a Third avenue line on Saturday night. When his father discovered the youngster today in a hospital, the patient was quite cheerful and is expected to recover. He had got into the train by his own efforts, no one knows how. But he plunged out in the manner that is becoming dangerously fashionable, adding to the spectacular interest of his adventure by not being seriously hurt.

Eggs of Black Swan Stolen.

The bare announcement that someone stole five eggs in Central park belonging to the city does not convey the idea of a serious crime. But when it is added that the eggs were worth $45 apiece, and were those of a black swan, which is one of the most precious specimens of water fowl in the park, one can understand that the theft is an annoying one. The eggs were laid by a swan named "Beauty." It has never been possible to hatch swans in Central park heretofore, but it was expected that this time a brood of black cygnets would delight the keeper of the menagerie, for the eggs were apparently very fine. Now there is indignation and sorrow, with "Beauty" joining in most heartily.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
G. Mesta.
Mrs. W. Carr.
Holland.
A. W. Mellon.
Mrs. Mellon.
Mrs. McMullen.
Miss McLean.
S. A. Cosgrave, Jr.
Wolcott.
C. W. Tindle.
E. Kimmey.
Manhattan.
G. Klotz.
R. P. Mellon.
J. C. McLaughlin.
Navarre.
Mrs. M. Nelson.
Gregorian.
William Scott.
Plaza.
S. L. Dana.
Mrs. Dana.
Cambridge.
D. N. Seely.
Imperial.
J. C. Somers.
S. H. Henderson.
Marlborough.
H. Fromme.
Westminster.
H. G. Harris.
Mrs. Harris.
W. H. Scott.
Mrs. Scott.
David Renton.
St. Denis.
W. C. Scott.
Mrs. Scott.
O. D. Glenn.
Grand.
Leon S. Klein.
Mrs. Klein.
Netherland.
Howard J. Gratz.
Fifth Avenue.
P. C. Redding.
S. B. Goldsmith.
Charles Goldsmith.
The Rev. J. Wood.
Earlington.
F. J. Kress.
Ashland.
M. O'Sullivan.
Union Square.
Fred High.
Mrs. High.
Park Avenue.
J. W. Howard.
Broadway Central.
C. A. Frissell.
Herald Square.
T. R. Durning.
E. Holcombe.
J. Martin.
H. M. Frost.
Sheldon Catlin.
W. J. Chase.
G. N. Barnes.
W. D. White.
Albemarle.
Mrs. Richard Hays.
Mrs. W. G. Hawkins, Jr.
Hoffman.
W. L. Kann.
Joel Spear.
J. M. Conroy.
Astor.
C. Meister.
M. H. Mankin.
Cadillac.
O. C. Reymann.
Mrs. Reymann.
Sinclair.
M. F. Connolly.

Pittsburghers in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Washington.
Mrs. J. W. Ricketson.
Miss Ricketson.
Miss Garrison.
Miss Woodworth.
Christian Endeavor.
Miss Emma Blair.
Miss Jane H. Blair.
Southern.
W. N. Murray.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Who knows what wild tea is—the kind that is said to cure cancer?

Mrs. W. H. Brown of Waynesboro, Franklin county, Pa., sends a clipping from the old Pittsburgh Commercial in which J. B. Williams, health officer of Allegheny, states that he was cured of cancer by the use of this pleasant herb, after all things else had failed. He says that wild tea grows in most of the states and is generally well known.

The herb woman in Allegheny market says she knows nothing of it, and others who are well up in "yarbs and roots" say it is a new one to them.

Medical dictionaries mention a wild tea, sometimes known as lead tea, as it is usually found in the vicinity of lead mines, but that is not the one referred to.

Mr. Williams says he drank freely of the tea made from the leaves of this herb and poulticed the sore with the grounds for four weeks; at the end of which time he was well.

Any information concerning this plant will be welcome, whether it is favorable to it as a cancer cure or not. Its reputation alone is sufficient to justify careful inquiry concerning its history and its value as a remedy for cancer, or any form of a carcinoma, or anything else.

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That which cures one may not cure another affected, to all appearances, in the same way. From this grew the saying that what is one man's meat is another man's poison.

The reason for this is not very hard to discover, after we have once learned that the sore, the swelling, the fever, or any outward sign, is only a symptom of the disease, a sign that something is out of order.

These symptoms may be due to several causes, and so nearly alike that even a practiced eye cannot certainly determine the cause from the symptoms.

Under the head of carcinoma you will find a dozen or more sets of symptoms, nearly all of which belong to cancer. To call any of these disorders cancer is not far wrong, for they are not far different from each other.

One doctor may tell a patient that he has cancer, while another doctor, just as good, may tell him it is not cancer, only a carcinoma of some kind.

Cancer is one of the disorders that has furnished fine plucking for fake doctors, for anyone who is afflicted with this will give almost anything short of his life to have it cured. And so anxious is he about it that he can readily be persuaded to try almost anything that anybody may recommend.

And by trying this, that and the other thing, one may stumble onto something that happens to fit the case, which same might not fit another case, although apparently just like it.

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It is possible that man expends more energy and strives harder to attain the unattainable than to compass the things within his grasp.

Some of these patients are the victims of self-infection, and if they only knew it they could cure themselves. Almost anyone of them could effect the cure of a horse, or a dog, or of any sort of living pet. And they could cure themselves as easily if they only thought so.

Auto-infection, or self-infection, means to become infected by poisons secreted or thrown off by the vital organs, and not properly eliminated from the body. This is what usually causes the distress associated with dyspepsia. The food taken in, or ingested, is all right and proper, but the products of the digestive processes are defective, or the waste is not properly eliminated. In the latter instance nature attempts to get rid of the material by fermentation. You know what that means.

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Auto-infection, or self-poisoning, may often, if not generally, be corrected by a little right living and right thinking, for the mind is usually prone to center upon the symptoms caused by this disorder.

The no-breakfast plan works well with some, while the one-meal-a-day works well with others and six meals with more. Then there are those to whom meat is poisonous, others dare not eat eggs, and others suffer after eating this, that or the other.

A little careful attention will enable anyone to determine what and how to eat to get best results. After determining this, if he pitches in and eats stuff that does not suit his digestive plant, he has no right to grumble or complain about the consequent pain and discomfort—not a bit more right than to complain of burned fingers after picking up something which he knew to be hot.

To eat that which you know will make you sick or cause you discomfort would be as silly and foolhardy as to knowingly put your finger in the fire.

PITTSBURGHER ABROAD.

C. C. Tennis, at Louisville, Talks of Interurban Railway Projects There.

C. C. Tennis of Pittsburgh, president of the Tennis Construction Company, was at the Galt house last night, and will make a routine inspection of the work which his company is carrying on in Kentucky and Southern Indiana. Mr. Tennis is interested in the building of the Louisville and Southern Indiana Traction Company's lines, the rebuilding and extension of the Henderson street railway and his engineers made the survey for the Columbia and Lebanon line. He is also interested in other work.

"Building interurban lines is not the smoothest sailing on earth at the present time," he said last night. "Still there are two or three projects that look likely in this section, and I do not look to see the field abandoned for the year at all. It is only that people dislike to go into new enterprises in presidential years, believing that it is better to stick to the old than to try the new."—Louisville Courier Journal.

Hoping for a Seedless Grape.

Colorado is much interested in a seedless apple that has been developed in that state, and there is great demand for the bud or graft, as that is the only way it can be propagated. The seedless orange has had a remarkable sale, and the apple may be equally successful. The lack of seeds will get rid of the coddling moths, which feed on the seeds. This apple is free from blossoms, which will, it is said, make it immune from injury by late frosts. Other seedless fruits will probably be brought out in time.—Philadelphia Press.

Ways Past Finding Out.

If the ukase of the czar permitting the entry of foreign goods into the Amur territory duty free be intended to remain a dead letter its issue at this moment, when all the ports leading into that country directly or by way of Manchuria are closed to commerce, is well timed. Moreover, there is a proviso attached to the ukase to the effect that duty shall still be payable on goods subject to duty in Russia. Muscovite notions of free trade are certainly peculiar.—Philadelphia Record.

Red Hair Becomes a Blessing.

In the Formosa New Era a man advertises for a wife. "I want one not over 22 years old, with red hair and weight about 150 pounds." There is only one way to account for a man who wants a red-headed wife weighing 150 pounds. He is drunk.—Kansas City Journal.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"Do you mean to say," asked the optimist, "that the unexpected never happens to you?"

"Just so," replied the pessimist. "I've got so used to it that I always expect it now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"What made Nero fiddle while Rome burned?" asked the inquisitive small boy.

"I don't know," answered his father. "Maybe he was reckless and wanted to show he didn't care for anything; not even the musicians' union."—Washington Star.

A prominent man, Mr. ——,
Concealed from the world that he ——,
But once a sly cop
Caught him full of brewed hop,
And said to the court, "he's a ——."
—Cleveland Leader.

Tess—Mr. Rakely had the audacity to say I was as "ugly as sin."

Jess—My dear, that's a compliment. Mr. Rakely proves by his general conduct that he considers sin anything but ugly.—Philadelphia Press.

Curious Stranger—Do you have any suspicions that the fire which burned down your house was of incendiary origin?

Hank Hoskins—Lord, no—just between you and me I think some low down sneak set it on fire.—Boston Post.

Our Strange Ways

THE STROLLER.

Taking a leisurely stroll through the streets it is very noticeable how few faces of those who pass are really in repose. The average individual never seems to give his or her face a rest. It is always screwed up one way or another. Notice a man who is looking for the name of a store or a number, and his eyes will be puckered and his face drawn as if he were in agony or just about to burst into tears. Others wear a haunted expression that makes the muscles tense and pinches great wrinkles. Eyes are moving all the time, and it is really remarkable how many who pass in an hour are talking or muttering to themselves. Surely the face ought to have a rest occasionally. About the only time such a thing can be seen is when some white-haired man is taking a constitutional on some of the quieter streets. He has learned his lesson and the lines of his face, molded by years of world strife, are in repose and peaceful at last. Why is it that only the old man or woman is referred to as "sweet-faced?" As soon as a boy gets old enough to leave school his face begins to wear all the different marks of worry until, if he lives long enough, the muscles will finally develop a repose for themselves, caused by the experiences he has passed through. The grimaces many people make unconsciously, when looking intently at anything, are laughable to onlookers if the thing had not become so general as not to excite comment. Folks who wear glasses are either not so given to wrinkling their faces or the glasses act as a sort of mask to hide that part of the face. Some lines of business appear to make people more liable to wrinkle up than others. But, if a little quiet amusement is wanted, there is something new in going along slowly and watching the expressions of those who pass. If persisted in for only half an hour even, the result will be curious.

Householders Are Careless.

"You would be amazed," said a policeman who has done much work through the East End, "at the number of times a man will reach his own porch and not be able to go farther. I have seen fellows who had been to a banquet, or some other convivial gathering, get as far as the house in which they lived and then go to sleep on the porch without an effort to use their keys. They must have a sense of security when they get to their own diggings which lifts the feeling of responsibility from their minds. It is a much more frequent thing than those who don't patrol quiet streets in early morning hours may believe. Just the other morning, about half-past two, I found a citizen snoring loudly on a porch chair. He had a fine gold watch in his fob, a very costly diamond ring on his finger and nearly $500 in his pocketbook. He was in sight from the sidewalk and as helpless as a child. Besides being a guardian of the peace the night policeman has to act as guardian for a lot of people who do not seem to be able to look out for themselves. As for the number of unlocked doors that are come across, the record is surprising. It is generally believed that the pater familias sees to locking up the house at night and doing it securely; or that in his absence the women folks will be so afraid of burglars they will see to it even more carefully than the head of the house might. Ask the night policeman, and the answer will be that there must be a lot of careless people who don't know when they have locked a door. Even store doors, which are supposed to be especially well looked after, are found open in the most mysterious fashion with nothing missing. The proprietor, when called to fasten it, will invariably try to tell a story of just how particular he had been with that door the last thing before leaving for his home. Yet the doors keep on opening in this weird way despite all the care said to be taken."

How to Vent Temper.

There is a young wife in the East End who does not quite know how her husband manages to keep his temper so well when little things crop up at home or she has to bully him a little over a difference between them. If she ever learns the secret she may become angry. The young husband told the tale himself a short time ago. He was talking to one of the police magistrates and the official was telling of the number of cases of wife beating he had to dispose of during the week preceding. The magistrate is a bachelor, and, therefore, not acquainted with all the crosses a husband has to bear, and especially a young one just being broken in. He was expatiating on the men who could do such things when he saw a twinkle in the eye of the listener.

"What are you laughing at?"

The youthful benedict said:

"Having differences of opinion is almost unavoidable. Married people usually make up their minds to make concessions on both sides of the house, but sooner or later a scrap is bound to occur. The man who beats his wife usually lets it go at that and forgets the trouble, but there are men who would scorn to beat a woman who harbor resentment for days because they let a little difficulty smoulder. When our first fight came I went up to the attic where hung the frock coat in which I had been married. I had not worn it since that afternoon because I don't run to that sort of clothes. I kicked the old coat half a dozen times and punched it twice and it gave me all the satisfaction in the world. But my wife does not know why I occasionally go to the garret when things go wrong. She thinks I am the sweetest-tempered boy in the world."

Was It a Compliment?

There is a young athlete in the city who has a superb figure and always takes care to dress most carefully and in the best of taste. He has the style of figure most men would like to have themselves, but he is not vain about it. He was working about the lawn the other day and the light exercise just brought out the symmetry of his lines and the way in which his suit fitted him. A visitor was announced, and with her was a girl about eight years old. The tot stood near when the visitor was introduced to the athlete, and in a moment's lull of the conversation the child piped the question to her mother:

"Isn't this the man whose pictures are in the tailor's advertisements?"

Then the athlete blushed and wondered if it were a compliment or the reverse.

Poor Old Backward New York.

Street cars drawn by horses are still seen every day in so conspicuous a thoroughfare as Park row. Is it to the credit of Manhattan that, so many years after the other principal cities of the United States abandoned the use of horse cars altogether, the richest and most noted municipality in this hemisphere should still retain such relics of old, slow, backward times?—New York Tribune.

Keep Up the Good Work.

If this pool room agitation keeps up, a great many cigarette smoking but otherwise able-bodied young men may be driven to seek employment in some useful vocation. Such hard luck would bring tears to the eyes of a crocodile.—New York Tribune.

THAT OTHER SIDE OF JORDAN.

I.

O, the other side o' Jordan may be bright as bright can be,
But I ain't a-faultin' this old world; she's bright enough fer me!
You've got to be a swimmer when you strike that Jasper sea,
Yonder, on the other side o' Jordan.

II.

I make no doubt the country is a country out o' sight,
With all them fields o' livin' green an' rivers o' delight;
But I jest ain't in no hurry fer to rise an' take my flight
Yonder, on the other side o' Jordan.

III.

I know, the time they're havin' in the sweet old by-an'-by,
Must set the stars to dancin' in the blue bend o' the sky;
But I'm jest no good at flyin'—an' a angel's got to fly
Yonder, on the other side o' Jordan.

IV.

O, no matter what the trouble—an' no matter where I roam,
This world to me is sweeter than its sweetest honeycomb,
An' I never shall resign it till they holler, "Come on home!"—
Yonder, on the other side o' Jordan!
—Frank L. Stanton in the Atlanta Constitution.

The Death Roll

Martin Coyne.

Martin Coyne, aged 39, died at his residence, 5439 Butler street, at 6 o'clock last evening, after a short illness of lung trouble. He conducted a wholesale liquor business at Fifty-fifth and Butler streets for several years. He was born in Ireland, coming to this country at the age of 18, after an imprisonment in Ireland as a result of his participation in the Fenian movement, he having been a prominent figure in the land agitation against the British government. Mr. Coyne settled in Rochester, N. Y., and three years later came to Pittsburgh. He was a prominent factor in Democratic politics in the Eighteenth ward and ran for common council in that ward five years ago, but was defeated. He was also prominent in Irish affairs in this vicinity and was an officer in the Clan-na-Gael and Irish Volunteers and was also a member of the Uniformed Knights of St. John and division 7, Ancient Order of Hibernians. Requiem high mass will be offered over his remains in St. Kiernan's Roman Catholic church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

John F. Young.

John F. Young, aged 36, a well-known resident of McKees Rocks and nephew of Lieut.-Gen. S. M. B. Young, retired, died yesterday morning at his home, 818 Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks, of blood poisoning, due to an injury received in the oil fields. Mr. Young was born in Robinson township and married Miss Jennie Linton of that place eight years ago. His widow, one child, his father, Capt. Richard B. Young of Robinson township, and one sister, Mrs. Charles Smith, survive. H
was a member of St. John's commandery
F. and A. M., and of Alfretta lodge 307, Kni
of Pythias. He attended the United Pre
terian church. Funeral services will be hel
his late home tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'c
and interment will be made in Mt. Union c
etery.

Ernest Muttner.

Ernest Muttner, aged 7, a well-known re
dent of Oakmont, died at his home, Eighth
C streets, yesterday. He was born in G
many and came to the United States 23 ye
ago. He lived in Oakmont 15 years and
a mill worker. He is survived by his wid
and eight children, Charles of East Libert
Bertha, Emma and Helen of Pittsburgh; Eliz
beth of Wilkinsburg; Annie, Edith and Fran
at home. Mr. Muttner was a member of t
German Lutheran church, Oakmont. Funer
services will be held tomorrow afternoon at
o'clock at his late home.

Mrs. Charlotte Rosfeld.

Mrs. Charlotte Rosfeld, aged 60, widow o
Michael Rosfeld, died at her home in West Liberty yesterday. She is survived by seven children, Mrs. Fred Kestner of Castle Shannon; Mrs. Harry Swarm of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Fred Nicholson of Elliott borough; William and the Misses Lottie and Annie of West Liberty. Mrs. Rosfeld was a member of Mt. Washington Evangelical Protestant church. Funeral services will be held at her late home tomorrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Rosfeld was a member of the Women's society of the Mt. Washington church.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Arvilla Joslyn, aged 49 years, is dead at Sharpsville.

James S. Lang, aged 56 years, is dead at Washington, Pa.

Edward Dunlevy, aged 71 years, is dead at Sharpsville. He is survived by nine children.

John T. Teeters died at his home in Leechburg, Pa., Sunday from heart failure. He was 40 years old.

Hannah J. Fergus, died Sunday night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Robert Mowry, of Washington, aged 67 years.

George A. Suter, aged 26 years, died at Altoona yesterday afternoon. He was paying teller at the Second National bank of that city.

Lieut. Col. John M. Matheny, United States army, retired, is dead at Berkeley, Cal., aged 69. He was a native of Indiana and served as a captain during the civil war.

Mrs. Evalyn Copeland, wife of I. H. Copeland of Carnegie, was buried Sunday from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andersen Wood, at Jewett, O., where she died.

James Hart, aged 73, member of company E, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteer infantry in the civil war, is dead at his late home in Mifflin township. His widow and three children survive.

PERSONALS

The younger ministers of the Presbyterian church in this district met last evening at the Seventh Avenue hotel to form an organization for mutual benefit. About 20 were present, most of them accompanied by their wives. The meeting was preceded by a dinner. It was decided to meet monthly and discuss matters pertaining to their ministerial work. As some, who were expected, were unable to be present last night a permanent organization was not completed, but will be at a meeting to be held some time in June. A committee was appointed to draw up a set of rules to govern the organization.

The Pittsburgh alumni of the Gettysburg college banqueted last night at the Hotel Henry. About 35 were present. The Rev. J. Smith is president; H. L. Stifel, secretary, and the Rev. R. Woods, treasurer. C. J. Fite, vice president, officiated as toastmaster. Among the respondents were M. H. Buehler, the Rev. H. C. Reller, C. S. Stifel and Dr. C. Tipton of Greensburg.

The Guyasuta chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star gave a reception last evening at the Monongahela house to the delegates to the tenth annual convention which opens today.

James McCrea, first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines, left last night in his private car for Philadelphia.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Residents of nearby towns at the local hotels last night were:

Seventh Avenue—J. C. Caillisch, Union City; H. S. Smith, Brookville; B. J. Fuit, Uniontown; J. T. Tilton, Waynesburg.

Anderson—George B. Drake, Waynesburg.

Colonial—E. Jackson, Butler; W. M. Sommers, Punxsutawney; F. W. Crane, Morgantown.

Griswold—F. J. Nichols, Meadville; J. N. Thomas, Massillon.

Newell's—N. J. Appleton, Brownsville; J. T. Shipley, Meyersdale; W. Griffiths, Ebensburg; John L. Mattox, Oil City.

Lincoln—T. T. Taggart, Massillon; H. D. Townsend, Youngstown.

Monongahela House—F. J. Simpson, Greensburg.

Duquesne—William L. Ochre, Erie; F. Lewis, Leetonia.

Henry—George A. Stanbery, Zanesville; Rev. D. L. Lloyd, Uniontown; George C. Baker, Morgantown; M. Nusser, Clarksburg.

Oh, This Democratic Harmony!

The Lamar (Mo.) Democrat thus refers to Mr. Cleveland: "When we consider how the Democratic party and the American people honored this arch traitor, his ponderous hypocrisy and his Pecksniffian villainy make Benedict Arnold appear as a great and good man and Judas Iscariot an unfortunate victim of calumny." The process of reorganization in that part of Missouri seems to be incomplete.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

It Was a Back-Hand Compliment.

At Clay Center before a women's club W. H. Peckham was assigned the topic: "The Club Woman's Husband." He said at the opening: "I would rather be a club woman's husband than no husband at all." The circumstance is mentioned simply as an example of how men sometimes indulge in broad extravagance when laboring under the excitement of an oratorical event.—Kansas City Journal.

You Can't Make Us Believe This.

Did Melville E. Stone, who has had large newspaper experience, really tell the General Federation of Women's clubs that "Newspapers today are edited for women and not for men," and that "not a line of scandal would be printed in an American newspaper if it were not for the women"? If so, it is up to Mr. Stone to furnish a few corroborations and specifications.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

SOUTH SIDE BILL STAYS IN GRAVE

Another Failure to Secure Action on Ordinance to Buy Monongahela Plant.

ROENICK DODGED CONTEST

Another unsuccessful attempt was made in common council last night to secure action on the Semmelrock ordinance authorizing the submission to a vote of the people of the question of issuing $3,000,000 bonds for the purchase of the Monongahela water plant on the South Side; that portion of the Chartiers water plant in the Thirty-eight ward and the pipes of the Pennsylvania Company in the Thirty-seventh ward.

The ordinance is with a sub-committee of the finance committee, having been referred there over a month ago. Semmelrock moved to withdraw the ordinance from the sub-committee and have it printed for the use of councils. This move was made immediately after J. W. Rapp's report of the committee appointed to investigate the South Side water supply. The committee reported that the city solicitor had given the opinion that the city was powerless to enforce the city's contract with the Monongahela company, and that the company practically had the South Side consumer at its mercy, with expensive litigation and a long delay in the courts as the only recourse.

One Sided Arrangement.

The report stated in substance that the contract of the city with the Monongahela company was wholly a one-sided arrangement, that the city could do nothing, but that the company had power to deal with the consumer as it saw fit.

According to the report Solicitor Rodgers had informed the committee that the city cannot lay pipe on the South Side; that the city cannot sue for the consumer and mandamus the company to give the South Side an adequate water supply; that the company cannot be forced to increase the supply, even though proof is given that the demand is not met; that the city cannot supply water in the district covered by the contract; that the company can connect with the city's water mains in Carson street for its own use, but the company cannot be compelled to use the city water for the benefit of the South Side; that the city cannot amend the contract by reason of overcharges, this being a question, the solicitor holds, between the consumer and the company; that no breach of contract is sufficient to cancel it.

No Hope for South Side.

The only grain of consolation for the South Side consumer was the suggestion that he might ask court for a mandamus to compel the company to supply him and, in case of a continued failure to do so, to proceed through the state's attorney general to annul the franchise of the company. The committee added that it had instructed the director of public safety to require a report from the plug inspectors and fire bureau captains, and if it should be found that the supply for the fire service is not sufficient, ways and means would be devised to secure a better pressure, in which the South Side people would share. The report was accompanied by a letter from Martin Prenter, secretary and general manager of the water company, in which he claimed that everything possible was being done to give South Side consumers an adequate supply.

The report of the committee was received and filed, and ordered spread upon the records of council. Semmelrock made his motion to withdraw his bond ordinance from the finance committee and Brand called upon the other South Side members to support the motion. Rapp spoke against the motion, stating that the South Side people did not want the city to buy the Monongahela company's plant and that his committee still hoped to find a way to force the company to furnish a better supply.

Semmelrock called Rapp's attention to the report he had just presented, in which the city solicitor had stated that the city was powerless to act and that the city could not lay any mains on the South Side.

Voted Against Motion.

Semmelrock argued that the only way out of the difficulty was the purchase of the South Side plant; that it might as well be done now as two years hence, for the contract continued indefinitely until the city bought the plant. A. G. Roenigk objected to appropriating $3,000,000 to buy something when councils did not know how much it would cost. The vote on Semmelrock's motion was defeated by 30 to 19, nine Citizens members from the South Side voting against the motion. The vote was as follows:

Ayes—Bailey, Barr, Barton, Bergmann, Brand, Cronmiller, Fullerton, Gibbon, Girdwood, Gulland, Johns, Joyce, Kohne, Lewis, Martin, Morin, McKnight, Perley, Semmelrock—19.

Noes—Bole, Bonini, Bright, Collins, Dengler, Finerty, Frankie, Hammer, Helmold, Hogue, Hughes, Kalchthaler, Maslowski, Mathews, Meyers, McKelvey, McNally, O'Brien, Pfannkuch, Porter, Rapp, Roenigk, Scott, Shankan, Simon, Steel, Taylor, Wallace, Walls, Zeuger—30.

Hump Grade Bills Laid Over.

The 24 ordinances for the regrading of the streets and alleys of the hump district were laid over until after July 12 on motion of D. J. Bole. The question of issuing $2,000,000 for the hump removal will be submitted to a vote of the people on July 12, and if the bond issue is voted down there will be no necessity for the passage of the regrading ordinance.

Members of the Schenley Matinee Driving Club were active on the floor of common council, lobbying for the $15,000 appropriation for the improvement of the Schenley park oval or race track, and the measure passed by a unanimous vote. The appropriation of $10,000 for artesian wells was also approved, and similar action taken on the bill appropriating $29,786.51 for a pavilion in the Lawrenceville park.

In the absence of President Ward, J. J. McKelvey of the Tenth ward, was chosen president pro tem. Previous to the meeting the Republicans picked McKelvey, who is a Citizen, for the purpose of creating a division in the Citizens ranks and accomplishing the defeat of A. G. Roenigk whom the Citizens had selected. The Citizens leaders held a caucus and asked McKelvey to withdraw. McKelvey refused and Roenigk withdrew, allowing McKelvey to be elected without opposition.

Duquesne Way Plans Opposed.

The plans of the Pennsylvania railroad for the Duquesne way elevated line were approved. Brand asked the members of the corporations committee if the plans complied with ordinance granting the franchise. Roenigk, Bole and other Citizen leaders could not answer Brand and Director Bigelow was called before council. The director stated that the plans conformed to the ordinance in every detail and they were then approved unanimously.

A resolution was presented transferring $5,000 from the Point bridge fund for the construction of the Melancthon foot bridge, Twenty-third ward.

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MASSAGE ROOMS TO BE LICENSED BY MOORE

Ordinance Introduced in Councils—Operators Must Have Medical Certificates.

Director Harry Moore, after closing up the massage establishments, now proposes to open and license them. Through Select Councilman L. H. Frederick, Director Moore introduced in councils yesterday an ordinance authorizing himself and the superintendent of police to grant licenses to persons, firms or corporations conducting or operating massage parlors. This ordinance contains some remarkable features. Frederick said he presented the bill at the request of Moore.

The license is to be good for only six months and the fee is $5. The superintendent of police grants the license after its approval by the director of the department of public safety.

The person to whom the license is granted and to all persons connected with the establishment, must file with the superintendent of police references testifying to their moral character, and they must also file with the superintendent of police certificates from reputable physicians stating that they and all employes connected with the massage parlors, whose names shall be enumerated, are free from any and all infectious and contagious diseases.

The license cannot be transferred to another person without the approval of the director of public safety and the superintendent of police. The license must also be posted conspicuously and visible to all visitors. For the violation of this ordinance there is a penalty of not less than $10 nor more than $50. The ordinance was referred to the committee on public safety.

UNION HIGH SCHOOL EVENT.

Turtle Creek, Wilmerding and East Pittsburgh Were Interested in It.

The Fourth annual commencement of the Union High school at Turtle Creek was held last evening in the United Presbyterian church of that place. The graduates were from Turtle Creek, Wilmerding and East Pittsburgh. The church was decorated with palms, flowers and the class colors.

The salutatorian was was Ralph A. Johnston; class historian, Miss Edith Pickford of Wilmerding; class prophet, Miss Laura F. Cupps, and valedictorian, Benjamin F. Keys. Orations were delivered by Wilbur A. Meanor, Harry H. Hohmeyer, Robert L. Spears, Harry Cain and Roy Rath.

The diplomas were presented by the president of the school board and the benediction was by the Rev. A. E. Husted. About 1,000 people attended from the three towns.

WON'T RECOGNIZE UNION.

Clash Between Dual Organizations Stops Work on Country Club.

Work has ceased at the Pittsburgh Country club because the contractors employed decorators who are members of the Painters' and Decorators' association with headquarters in New York. The Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers refuses to recognize the New York union and also refuses to work with its members. Several crafts stopped work on this account, thereby violating their scales with the Builders' Exchange league.

The local painters' scale stipulates that when any dispute arises it shall be settled by arbitration, and several other crafts have the same agreement. The Builders' Exchange may cancel the agreement and declare open shop with all crafts which stopped work yesterday.

Vaudeville Season at Kennywood.

The regular free vaudeville season opened at Kennywood park, yesterday, before a good-sized audience. The Cycle Whirl attracted much attention, and all the features outside the steeplechase building were well patronized. In the new theater there was a good vaudeville bill. The comedy juggling Pelots headed the list and were frequently applauded. Tony Baker, black face comedian, created lots of merriment and Edythe Doyle sang. Templeton and Huber, musical sketch team, were a good feature. It is certain that Kennywood has not lost any of its old-time popularity.

Child Ate Morphine Pills.

Edna, aged two, daughter of Levi Davis, Maple avenue and Twelfth street, Homestead, while playing yesterday secured a box of morphin pills and ate them. Two physicians succeeded in saving her life.

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75c a pair

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TWO BOND BILLS PASS FINALLY

Filtration and Hump Ordinances Go Through Select by Good Margin.

QUESTION GOES TO PEOPLE

Both the hump and filtration bond ordinances were passed finally by Select council yesterday afternoon, and now await the mayor's signature. The approval of the bills by the mayor is certain, and the next step will be the submission to the voters, on July 12, of the question of increasing the bonded indebtedness of the city $7,000,000.

The bond ordinances passed select by a good margin. Nine votes were cast against the filtration ordinances and six votes against the hump bill. The opposition of the South Side members to the hump ordinance, predicted by J. W. Ruhlandt did not materialize. Ruhlandt voted against both bills. W. E. Long and some other South Side members who opposed the filtration ordinance at the previous meeting voted for it yesterday.

Conference Was Held.

The easy victory of the hump bill was a surprise. Not only did the bill get a majority, but three-fourths of the members voted to suspend the rules that it might be passed finally. The leaders of the combine had a conference with Murry A. Verner, at city hall, just before the meeting of select, and word was passed around that both measures were to go through.

The first measure taken up was the ordinance authorizing the purchase of property belonging to Mary C. Delafield, consisting of 77 acres, for the filtration site above Aspinwall. It was passed with only three or four votes against it.

The hump ordinance was then considered. Max Friedman asked that Director Bigelow be sent for. Bigelow came to the chamber loaded with maps and papers. He proceeded to read the estimates he had previously given councils and also went over the streets and alleys in the hump district, pointing out in a general way the properties for which damages had been waived. He said the total frontage of property in the hump district was 29,300 feet, and that he had waivers for 14,842 feet. He said this did not include the county buildings.

Built Above Grade.

The director claimed no damage would be done the court house, and made the statement that when the hump removal was talked of four years ago he had a conference with the county commissioners and they agreed the county should not only waive damages but would contribute $250,000 towards the improvement. Bigelow said the county authorities had been given the new grade when the court house was built, and he did not know why the court house had been built about six feet above this grade. The director said a waiver had been signed for the government building and was on the way to Washington, D. C., for approval.

"There are $20,000,000 worth of improvements waiting on the hump removal," said Bigelow. "Mr. Frick told me he intended to build the finest hotel in the United States on the property bounded by Sixth avenue, Grant street, Oliver avenue and Cherry alley. He intends to build a skyscraper at Diamond street and Cherry alley, adjoining the present building, and on the cathedral site there will be an improvement that will be a credit to the city."

Expense May Be Reduced.

Bigelow did not mention the character of the improvement for the cathedral site. He said he had all the waivers with him, but only three of these waivers were read to select council—those signed by H. C. Frick, A. W. Mellon and one other. Bigelow said Solicitor Rodgers told him the corporations occupying the streets would have to take care of their properties when the hump was cut, and that this would reduce the actual expense of the improvement to $1,129,600, leaving about $800,000 for the payment of damage claims.

A. H. Leslie, who at the former meeting had accused Bigelow of lying, caused some surprise yesterday, after the director had finished, by moving that a vote of thanks be extended to him for appearing before select council, and the motion was carried.

The hump ordinance was passed on second reading. Wainwright then moved a suspension of the rules to put the ordinance on third reading and final passage. This was ordered by 29 to 6. The ordinance was passed finally by the same vote, the members voting as follows:

Ayes—John Barry, P. J. Barry, Booth, Casserly, Cavett, Costello, Douglas, Edwards, Fichtel, Frederick, Gallagher, Geary, Hermes, Howarth, Kearns, Lang, William McKelvey, W. H. McKelvy, Manion, Thomas O'Brien, Schempp, Schneider, Shenkel, Upperman, Wainwright, West, Zellinger, Wightman.—29.

Noes—Armstrong, Burns, Friedman, Leslie, Ruhlandt, Walters—6.

No Debate on Filtration.

There was no debate on the filtration ordinance. It was passed by a vote of 25 to 9, Dr. Walters not voting. The vote was as follows:

Ayes—Atkinson, John Barry, P. J. Barry, Booth, Cavett, Costello, Douglas, Edwards, Friedman, Gallagher, Geary, Hermes, Kearns, Lang, Leslie, William McKelvey, W. H. McKelvy, Manion, Thomas O'Brien, Schempp, Shenkel, Upperman, Wainwright, West, Wightman—25.

Noes—Armstrong, Burns, Casserly, Fichtel, Frederick, Howarth, Ruhlandt, Schneider, Zollinger—9.

A resolution was passed by Select authorizing the appointment of a joint committee to confer with the chamber of commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' club for the purpose of devising ways and means of entertaining the commission of 50 from the Philippine islands to visit Pittsburgh June 27, it being stated in the resolution that there was grave doubt of the right to use the funds of the city.

A number of street improvements and sewer bills from Common council were being read when Ruhlandt moved to adjourn and the motion was carried. It was voted to adjourn to next Tuesday, Monday being a holiday.

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M. J. Leball was burned yesterday while repairing cables in the Pittsburgh & Allegheny telephone conduits in McKeesport. Leball went down a manhole and it is supposed a bystander must have dropped a match or a cigar stump in the hole, causing gas which had accumulated, to explode. Leball was taken to the McKeesport hospital and will recover.

DELEGATES RETURNED.

Amalgamated Association Committee Is Arranging Tin and Sheet Scales.

The delegates to the twenty-ninth annual convention of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers returned yesterday, with the exception of John Williams, secretary, and Ben I. Davis, editor of the journal, who remained in Cleveland to arrange the scales for the tin plate and the sheet steel workers. They will return this morning.

It was agreed at the Cleveland convention that the insurance feature of the association, established six months ago, be made permanent, as it has proved a success. The convention cost $22,000, all of which, but the railroad fare, is paid by the individual lodges.

Iron Mines Closed Down.

IRONWOOD, MICH., May, 23.—The Newport and the Bonine mines closed down today and some 500 men are out.

DEATHS.

ROSFELD—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 2:30 a. m., CHARLOTTE, widow of Michael Rosfeld, aged 60 years, 7 months and 20 days.

Funeral from her late residence, West Liberty borough, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Frauenverein of Prospect Street church, Mt. Washington, and the friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CHAPLIN—On Saturday, May 21, 1904, at 10:40 a. m., MELCHOIR B. CHAPLIN, aged 52 years.

Funeral from his late residence on Bank street, Sewickley, Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

COYNE—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 1:05 p. m., MARTIN, husband of Delia Coyne.

Funeral from the family residence, 5439 Butler street, on Wednesday, May 25, at 8:30 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at St. Kerin's church at 9 a. m. Uniform rank Knights of St. John, Division 47, A. O. H., Irish Volunteers, and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(New York papers please copy.)

KANE—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 8 a. m., at Wilkinsburg, JAMES KANE, in his 62d year.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, No. 310 Trenton ave., Wilkinsburg, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Beaver county (Pa.) papers please copy.]

LLEWELLYN—On Sunday, May 22, 1904, at 8 a. m., EDGAR C., youngest son of Thomas and Mary A. Llewellyn (nee Morgan) in his 10th year.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of his parents, 410 Evaline street, on Tuesday, May 24, 1904, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

MILLER—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 2:30 p. m., GEORGE, son of George and Louisa Miller (nee Neudorfer), aged 18 years 9 months 9 days.

Funeral from his parents' residence, No. 767 Ward street, Oakland, Wednesday, May 25, 1904, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MOSSER—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 5:15 a. m., MARIE ELIZABETH LAUBACH, wife of Adam B. Mosser, aged 28 years.

Funeral services at the family home, 6614 Rowan avenue, East End, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

OWEN—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 3 a. m., at the residence of his mother, 309 Grantham street, Allegheny, DAVID B., son of Mrs. Sophia Owen, aged 21 years 3 months 25 days.

Funeral services this evening at 8 o'clock.

[Buffalo, (N. Y.) papers please copy.]

SMALL—On Sunday, May 22, 1904, at 12:30 a. m., at her residence, De Soto street, E. McKeesport, SARAH J., relict of Jacob Small, in her 71st year.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Long Run cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Lancaster papers please copy.)

SONNENFROH—On Sunday, May 22, 1904, at 8 o'clock a. m., CHRISTIAN SONNENFROH, aged 70 years and 2 months.

Funeral from Ley & Geiselhart's office, 816 East Ohio street, Allegheny, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Services will be held at Voegtly's church (Rev. Miller) East Ohio street, Allegheny, at 2 p. m.

Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

WOLF—On Sunday, May 22, 1904, at 7 p. m., at the family home, 6007 Penn avenue, East End, LOUIS ANTON, son of the late Anton and Josephine Wolf, in his 32d year.

Requiem high mass at SS. Peter and Paul Roman Catholic church, Larimer avenue, East End, on Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

(Philadelphia and Lewiston papers please copy.)

YOUNG—On Monday, May 23, 1904, at 1 a. m., JOHN F. YOUNG, in his 38th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 818 Chartiers avenue, McKees Rocks, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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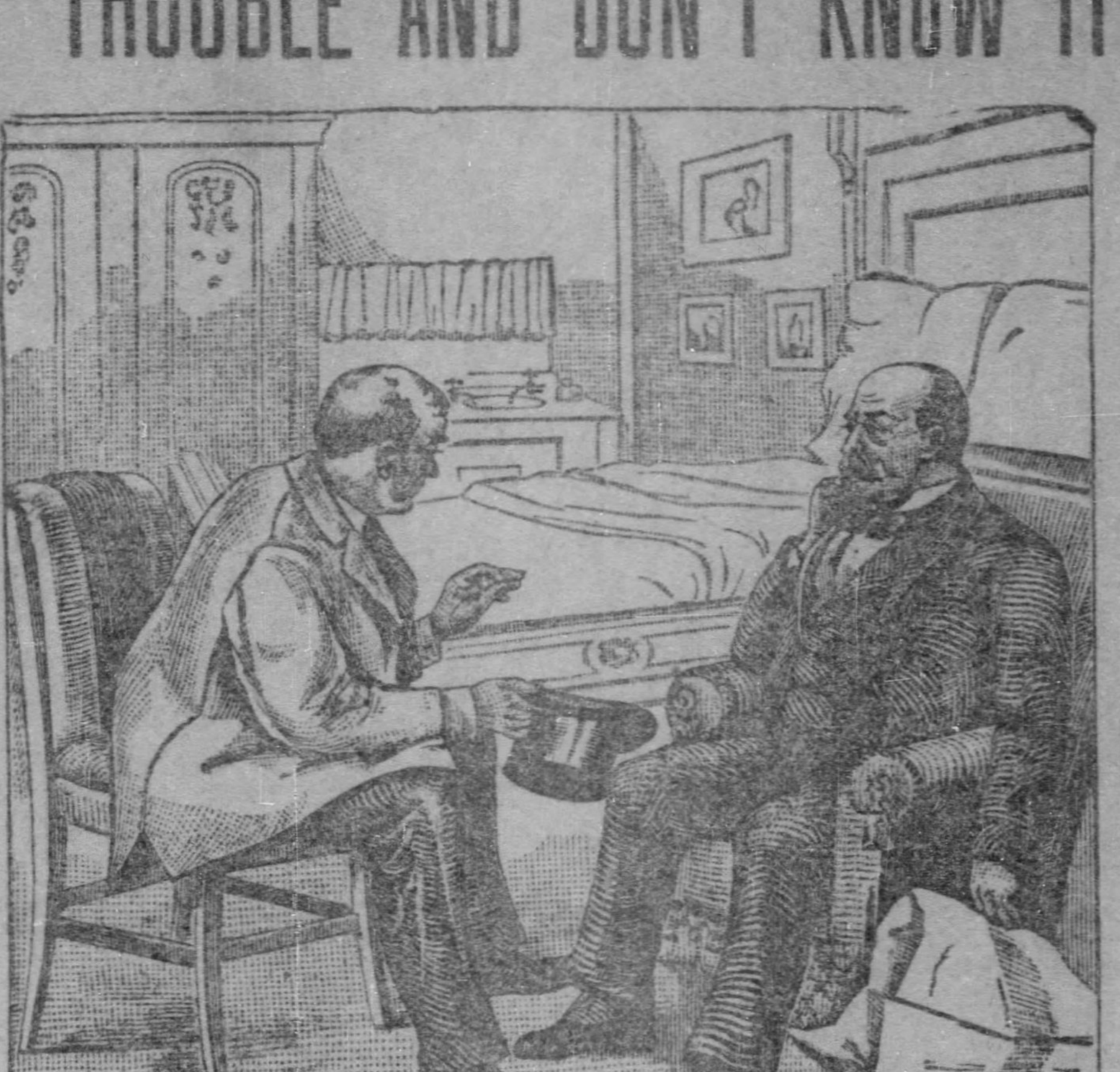

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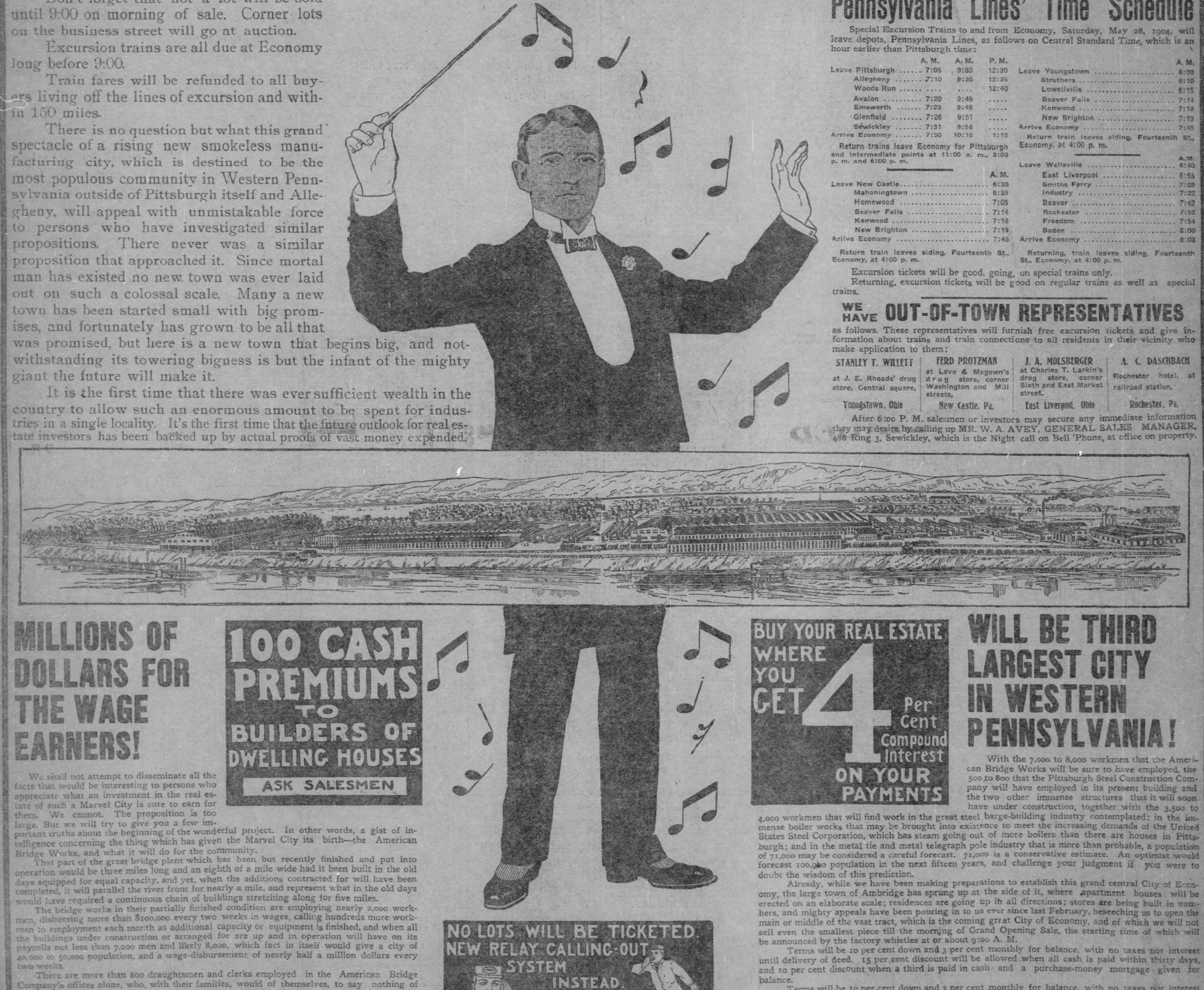

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Leave Pittsburgh	7:05	9:30	12:30
Allegheny	7:10	9:35	12:35
Woods Run	....	....	12:40
Avalon	7:20	9:45	.....
Emsworth	7:23	9:48	.....
Glenfield	7:26	9:51	.....
Sewickley	7:31	9:56	.....
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	A. M.
Leave New Castle	6:30
Mahoningtown	6:35
Homewood	7:05
Beaver Falls	7:14
Kenwood	7:16
New Brighton	7:19
Arrive Economy	7:45

Return train leaves siding, Fourteenth St., Economy, at 4:00 p. m.

	A. M.
Leave Youngstown	6:00
Struthers	6:10
Lowellville	6:15
Beaver Falls	7:14
Kenwood	7:16
New Brighton	7:19
Arrive Economy	7:45

Return train leaves siding, Fourteenth St., Economy, at 4:00 p. m.

	A.M.
Leave Wellsville	6:40
East Liverpool	6:55
Smiths Ferry	7:08
Industry	7:22
Beaver	7:42
Rochester	7:52
Freedom	7:54
Baden	8:00
Arrive Economy	8:08

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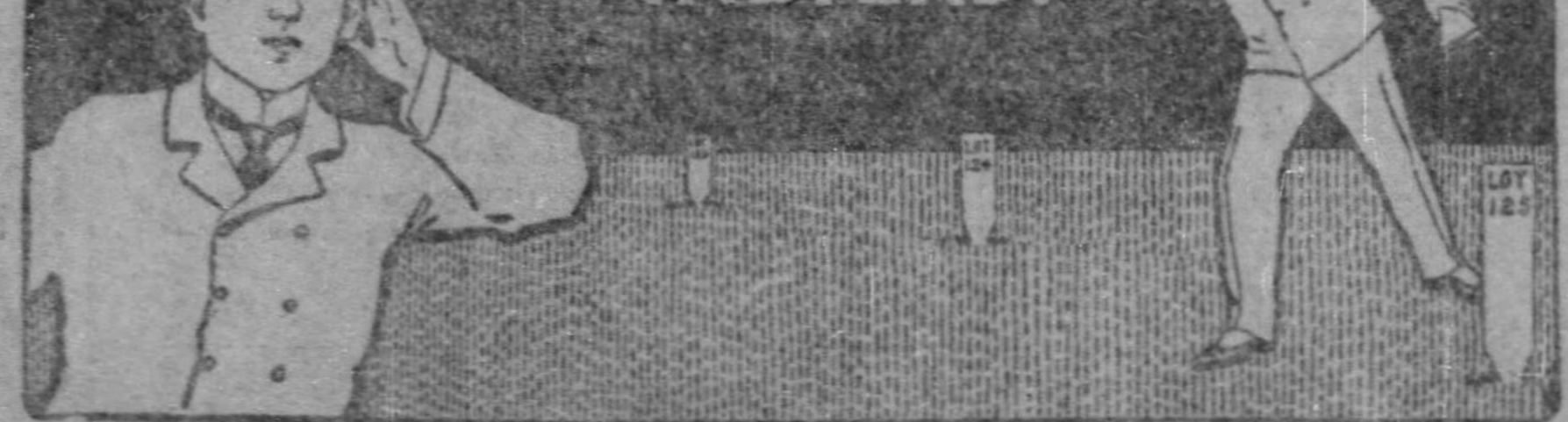
That part of the great bridge plant which has been but recently finished and put into operation would be three miles long and an eighth of a mile wide had it been built in the old days equipped for equal capacity, and yet, when the additions contracted for will have been completed, it will parallel the river front for nearly a mile, and represent what in the old days would have required a continuous chain of buildings stretching along for five miles.

The bridge works in their partially finished condition are employing nearly 2,000 workmen, disbursing more than $100,000 every two weeks in wages, calling hundreds more workmen to employment each month as additional capacity or equipment is finished, and when all the buildings under construction or arranged for are up and in operation will have on its payrolls not less than 7,000 men and likely 8,000, which fact in itself would give a city of 40,000 to 50,000 population, and a wage-disbursement of nearly half a million dollars every two weeks.

There are more than 800 draughtsmen and clerks employed in the American Bridge Company's offices alone, who, with their families, would of themselves, to say nothing of the armies of mechanics employed in the works, make a population of 4,000 to 5,000. You can imagine what will be the magnitude of an industry which in its infancy will keep such a regiment of draughtsmen busy. We have said that this monster works, which contains single pieces of machinery that cost more than the entire buildings of very many large factories, will employ 7,000 to 8,000 workmen. An ultra conservative censorship has been put on our writings, or we would say its number of workmen will be easily 15,000. That is what we think the gentlemen who are back of this giant enterprise believe, but will not give out, because they want to be on the safe side and surprise rather than disappoint the public.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NEW RELAY CALLING-OUT SYSTEM INSTEAD.
LOT 125

BUY YOUR REAL ESTATE WHERE YOU GET 4 Per Cent Compound Interest ON YOUR PAYMENTS

WILL BE THIRD LARGEST CITY IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA!

With the 7,000 to 8,000 workmen that the American Bridge Works will be sure to have employed, the 500 to 800 that the Pittsburgh Steel Construction Company will have employed in its present building and the two other immense structures that it will soon have under construction, together with the 3,500 to 4,000 workmen that will find work in the great steel barge-building industry contemplated; in the immense boiler works that may be brought into existence to meet the increasing demands of the United States Steel Corporation, which has steam going out of more boilers than there are houses in Pittsburgh; and in the metal tie and metal telegraph pole industry that is more than probable, a population of 71,000 may be considered a careful forecast. 71,000 is a conservative estimate. An optimist would forecast 100,000 population in the next fifteen years, and challenge your judgment if you were to doubt the wisdom of this prediction.

Already, while we have been making preparations to establish this grand central City of Economy, the large town of Ambridge has sprung up at the side of it, where apartment houses will be erected on an elaborate scale; residences are going up in all directions; stores are being built in numbers, and mighty appeals have been pouring in to us ever since last February, beseeching us to open the main or middle of the vast tract, which is the coming great City of Economy, and of which we will not sell even the smallest piece till the morning of Grand Opening Sale, the starting time of which will be announced by the factory whistles at or about 9:00 A. M.

Terms will be 10 per cent down and 3 per cent monthly for balance, with no taxes nor interest until delivery of deed. 15 per cent discount will be allowed when all cash is paid within thirty days, and 10 per cent discount when a third is paid in cash and a purchase-money mortgage given for balance.

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$65,000 will be spent at once as an initial outlay on the water works system for pumping machinery, pipe lines and reservoir capacity, and $45,000 will be expended to start laying the extensive complete sanitary sewerage system that has been devised. Merchant Street, the business thoroughfare, will be paved its entire length of almost a mile at a cost of $50,000. Illuminating and natural gas will be delivered to the homes and business houses.

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MOROS MASSACRE 53 FILIPINOS

Ali and Band Kill Government Employes and Families on Island of Mindanao.

PEACEFUL REPORT TO TAFT

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, May 23.—A report has been received here from Camp Overton, on the island of Mindanao, dated May 15, stating that a massacre had taken place on the 12th instant, near Malabang, on the southern coast of Mindanao. Fifty-three Filipino men, women and children, the families of employes of the United States military government at Malabang, were surprised at midnight while asleep by the Datto Ali and a band of Moros from the Rio Grande valley and slaughtered. The chief and his followers escaped before the alarm could be given.

Details of the massacre are meager. Maj.-Gen. Wood has been in the interior of Mindanao since May 12.

Cable communication between Manila and Mindanao is interrupted and the wires are down in the interior of the island. The report of the massacre was received by mail from a correspondent at camp.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Gov. Wright has cabled the secretary of war, making the following quotations from a despatch sent to Gen. Wright by Gen. Wood. "No disturbance in Cottobato valley. Affair was a fight with a band of outlaws under Ali, who is as much of an enemy of peaceful Moros as of ours. All Moros in valley are at work and friendly, and for the first time in the history are taking out cedulas. Have taken out 2,500 in last two weeks. Not the slightest cause for anxiety."

Gov. Wright adds: "Leonard Wood visited me at Baguio, about two weeks since. We went over Moro matters fully. He was then sanguine there would be no further disturbance except that involved in running down Ali, who is a fugitive in the mountains with a small band of Moros. I am inclined to think him correct in his views. Incidents of this character are always liable to occur, and, indeed, may be looked for. Aside from what Leonard Wood says in above telegram, I do not believe it possible that there will be any concerted opposition by Moros. They have no chief of prominence around whom they could gather; they are divided into very small groups, commanded by insignificant dattos, intensely jealous and at general war with each other. The Moro act abolishing slavery and establishing form of government wholly at variance with what has existed heretofore naturally has produced some dissatisfaction, but for the reasons indicated, I regard serious opposition as improbable, if not impossible. The Philippine commission has appropriated out of the congressional relief fund $150,000 to enable him to build roads through Lake Lanao region. Had expected to visit Moro Castle before this, to make personal inspection, but have been detained by press of other matters."

PALMA TO ROOSEVELT.

President of Cuba Sends Message Expressing Gratitude American People.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Gonzales de Quesada, the Cuban minister, has received the following cablegram from Mr. Zaldo, the Cuban secretary of state:

> The President requests me to transmit the following:
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> Please assure President Roosevelt that President Palma is deeply moved by his congratulations; that the Cuban people are fully aware that by the timely help of the United States they are able to enjoy the blessings of freedom and that they consider it to be one of the greatest duties to prove by acts that they are capable of self-government—the best way to show, with the success attained, that the noble task the American people undertook for the independence of Cuba has been worth the sacrifice of blood and money it cost them.

Mr. Queseda today delivered the message through Secretary Hay.

TO RAISE $2,000,000.

Semi-Centennial Committee of the U. P. Church Met Yesterday.

The semi-centennial commission of the United Presbyterian church met yesterday to arrange the report to be made to the General assembly, which convenes in Greenville, Pa., tomorrow.

The commission, which was appointed last year, has for its purpose the raising of $2,000,000 to commemorate the golden jubilee of the church, which takes place in May, 1908. This fund is to be applied to the colleges, seminaries and various mission boards of the church. The committee has been very successful so far, and while the figures have not as yet been made public, it is known that several hundred thousand dollars have been subscribed to date.

13,000 MILES FOR 2 CENTS.

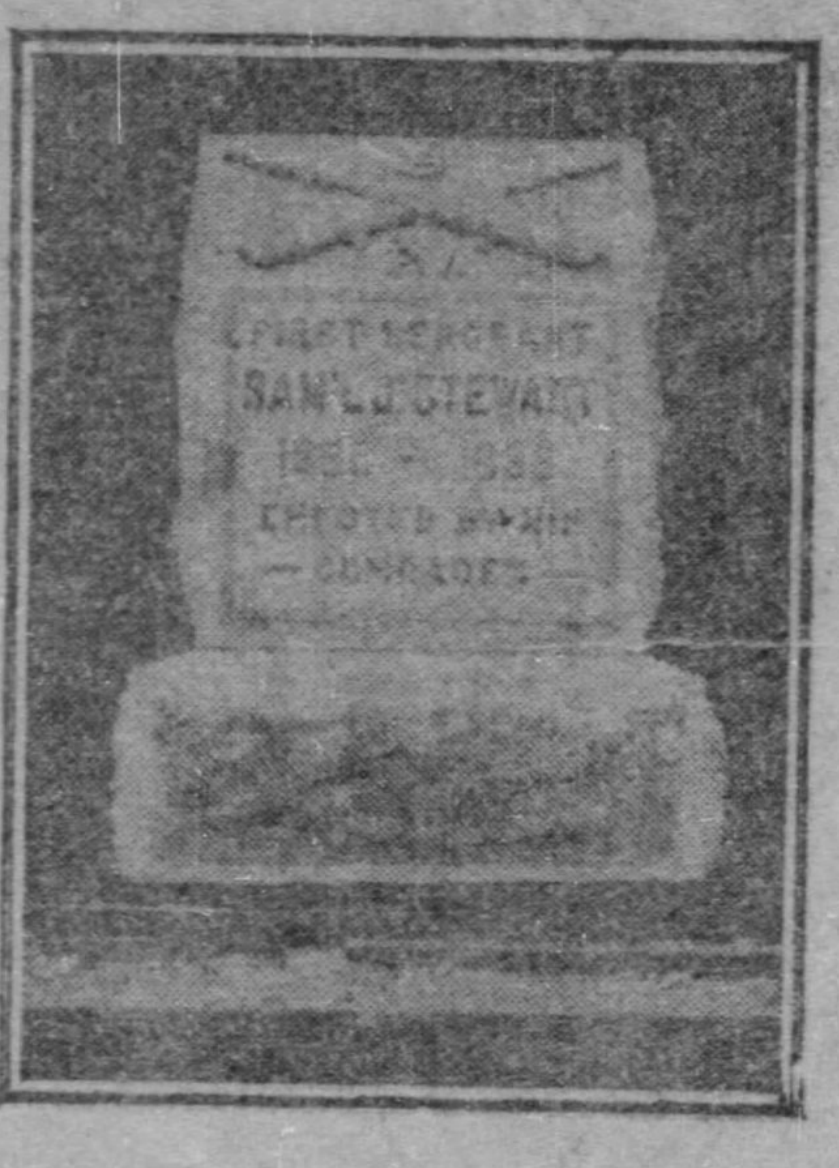
How Uncle Sam Serves the Public Within and Without His Own Domains.

On December 10, 1903, the Union Savings bank of Pittsburgh mailed a letter to Lyman S. Ailes, box 234, Allegheny. Mr. Ailes had left a forwarding address to Nome, Alaska, where the letter was sent from Allegheny, December 10, 8:30 p. m. Navigation having closed in Behring sea when the letter reached the Pacific coast, it was sent to Skaguay, Alaska, by water (1,200 miles); by rail to White Horse (125 miles); from there by sleigh to Dawson City (800 miles); from there by dog train to Nome City (1,800 miles). The Nome postmark shows the letter arrived there February 26, 1904, at 1 p. m. Mr. Ailes, having left a forwarding address at Nome for Seattle, Wash., the letter was started on its return journey. Postmarked at Nome, February 29, 11:30 a. m. it was returned over the same long, dreary route, and arrived at Seattle, where Mr. Ailes had left a forwarding address to Pittsburgh, Pa. The Seattle postmark shows the letter left there May 18, 7:30 a. m. and is postmarked Pittsburgh, May 23, 1904, 5 a. m. and was delivered yesterday morning in a somewhat soiled and tattered condition, after a journey of about 13,000 miles. This letter, which is something of a curio, is on exhibition at the office of the Alaska Gold Dredging Company, 804 Keystone building. It illustrates not only the persistency of our government in its endeavor to successfully carry the mail, but the carefulness and cheapness of carriage in vogue with Uncle Sam, in behalf of the public—for the letter only bore a two-cent stamp throughout its entire journey of more than 13,000 miles—3,500 miles of which was with dog teams over an icy trail, where doubtless the temperature was often 40 or 50 degrees below zero. When finally received in Pittsburgh, the letter bore traces of its long journey—the two-cent stamp having been lost in transit and the flap of the envelope having come open, owing, probably, to its contact with the icy waters of the Yukon, which may have baptized the bag containing the mail.

BATTERY B. TO HONOR LATE SERG'T STEWART

Survivors of Spanish War to Dedicate Monument on the Grave in Hilldale Cemetery.

A monument over the grave of Samuel J. Stewart, first sergeant of Hampton Light Battery B, Pennsylvania volunteer artillery, will be unveiled at 3 o'clock next Monday afternoon, Memorial day, in Hilldale cemetery. Those who served in Hampton Battery F during the rebellion are noted for the care with which they have provided memorials for their dead comrades, and the men of the Spanish war battery are following their example. Sergt. Stewart was the only member of the battery who died while the organization was in the United States services. He enlisted with the battery at the outbreak of the Spanish war and was with it constantly until its return from Porto Rico. He died on November 15, 1898, two days before the battery was mustered out.



The Stewart Memorial.

The design of the monument is a stone of rock-finished Barre granite. It stands 3 feet, 6 inches in height, is 2 feet, 2 inches in width and 2 feet in depth. Across the top are two crossed cannons, modeled from the field pieces used by the battery in Porto Rico. In the upper angle is the letter "B" and in the lower angle the letters "P. V." Beneath is the inscription:

"First Sergeant Saml. J. Stewart, 1866-1898. Erected by his comrades."

The monument was erected by the W. A. Lindsay Company of this city. The program for the dedicatory services is as follows:

Prayer by the Rev. Wallace Thorp; address by Sergt. Harry S. Lydick of Battery B, P. V. A.; "Taps," by the buglers of the battery. There will be singing by the Nightingale quartet. Besides the battery, the ceremonies will be attended by the survivors of Hampton Battery B and of Hampton Battery F; the members of camp Capt. Alfred E. Hunt, No. 8, United Spanish War Veterans.

GERMANS HAVE LONG MEMORY.

Arrest American Physician for Alleged Crime of Ten Years Ago.

HAMBURG, May 23.—(Special Cable.)—It is announced here that a Dr. Stahr of New York, who recently passed through this city on his way to visit his parents at Elmshorn, a small town in the province of Schleswig, had been arrested there, charged with having caused the death of a child which he treated while on a visit to this country 10 years ago.

It is said that he has appealed to the American consul in this city, but that the consul declared that he had no authority to act in the matter, which must be taken up by Ambassador Tower at Berlin.

BUILDERS ELECT P. K. STEPHENSON

Former General Organizer of the League Made "Assistant Secretary."

HAS A RECORD OF SUCCESS

Without opposition, Percy K. Stephenson was last evening elected "assistant secretary" of the Builders' Exchange league. The election was made at a special meeting of the league and is one of the most important steps the energetic new organization has taken. The office to which Mr. Stephenson has been elected is in fact that of general manager, and upon him will devolve the active work of the entire league.

Capt. J. A. A. Brown, formerly building inspector, was a candidate for the place, but withdrew, leaving a clear field for Mr. Stephenson. The new "assistant secretary" has been with the Builders' Exchange league from the start, two years ago. His title has been general organizer and the success which he has met is evidenced by the fact that there are 1,500 members of the organization. He was formerly business manager of the Master Builders.

P. K. STEPHENSON.

The ideas of the new assistant secretary on the relations of such a league to the building trades are well known. He was a large factor in bringing about the present era of peace in the building industries of this city and is a firm believer in the principle that each party to a labor question should be willing to deal fairly with the other. He has a wide acquaintance in this county with whom he is very popular.

HOTEL KEEPERS IN INDIANA TO CASH NO MORE CHECKS

INDIANAPOLIS, May 23.—As the result of the visit here by Edgar A. Welz of New York, president of the National Hotelkeepers' Protective association, there was posted today in all the leading hotels of Indiana notices stating that the proprietors, after September 1, would cash no paper for anybody not bringing a letter of credit issued by the association.

$12. To St. Louis and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Thursday, May 26.

Return limit seven days. Tickets good in coaches only on all regular trains and World's Fair Special.

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BIGELOW AXMINSTER RUGS

Size 9x12 Feet

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WE'RE PREPARED TO FURNISH YOU WITH THE BEST WHISKEY SOLD IN THE MARKET TODAY

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Remember this important point: It's eight years old and only $1.00 per full qt.

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DESPERATELY ILL WITH KIDNEY CATARRH

DOCTORS AND FRIENDS DESPAIRED— PE-RU-NA SAVED HIM.

MR. GEORGE KING.

Only recent medical investigation has revealed the fact that catarrh is responsible for most of the diseases of the kidneys.

Many people don't get well because they fail to use the catarrh cure, Peruna.

MR. GEORGE KING, Deputy Sheriff of Rensselaer Co., N. Y., for years was a well known merchant of Troy. In a letter from No. 45 King St., Troy, N. Y., he writes:

"**Peruna cured me from what the doctors were afraid would turn into Bright's Disease,** after I had suffered with catarrh of the bladder and kidney trouble.

"Peruna is a blessing to a sick man. Eight bottles made me a well man and were worth more than a thousand dollars to me. I cannot speak too highly of it. It is now four years since I was troubled, and I have enjoyed perfect health since."—George King.

Catarrh of the Kidneys Cured by Pe-ru-na.

Mr. J. G. Martin, 1229 St. Denis St., Montreal, Que., Clerk in the Custom House, and Soloist Notre Dame Catholic church, writes:

"I contracted a heavy cold last winter which settled in my kidneys, causing me great pain and discomfort. At times the pains in my back were unbearable. I would have a peculiar dizziness in the head, and altogether I was miserable. After trying many remedies, I finally took Peruna, and the way it took hold of my trouble was marvelous. It cured me so quickly that I am glad to be able to write you of it, and I certainly will speak a good word for Peruna whenever I can."—J. G. Martin.

Catarrhal inflammation of the mucous lining of the kidneys, also called "Bright's disease," may be either acute or chronic. The acute form produces symptoms of such prominence that the serious nature of the disease is at once suspected, but the chronic variety may come on so gradually and insidiously that its presence is not suspected until after it has fastened itself thoroughly upon its victim.

At the appearance of the first symptom Peruna should be taken. This remedy strikes at once at the very root of the disease.

A book on catarrh sent free by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

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Napkins—all linen, superior quality, extra size, per dozen at $1.50 to $2.50
Good quality all linen Crashes at 8c, 10c, and 12½c
Crochet Spreads—full regular size at....$1.00
Crochet Spreads — in handsome Marseilles patterns, extra size, at....$1.25 and $1.50
Lace Curtains—in white and ecru, 3½ yds. long, new patterns, from 75c to $5.00
Ladies' Wrappers — special line at....$1.00
Ladies' Tan Jackets—satin lined, at....$5.00
Ladies' Dress and Walking Skirts of Cheviot and Scotch Mixtures, special values at $3.50, $5, $7.50
Men's 75c Percale and Madras Shirts at....50c

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Remnant Carpets

TODAY AND WHILE THE LOT LASTS

EARLY? Yes, a month earlier than usual, but remnants accumulated faster this year—the more sales the more remnants. These short lengths are not worth near their cost to us—and their lessened worth is the new price to you. It's a chance to secure floor-coverings of real excellence at very positive savings in price.

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The best all-wool and wool-filled Extra Super Ingrains made—not cheap cotton grades. The lengths run from 5 yards to 23 yards. A wide choice in patterns and colors. Bring room measurements, if you can. We can tell at once whether or not a short piece will serve.
There are also many bargains in Brussels and Velvet Carpets in one-roll lots and parts of rolls large enough for almost any room. Borders to match some of them.

Straw Mattings, - - - $3.50 a Roll

They are China Mattings in patterns especially suitable for bedrooms. Typical Chinese colors and patterns. We think they are not equaled under $5 elsewhere. 40 yards in the roll. Price $3.15 cash.

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Judge these China Mattings by the weight as well as the quality of the straws—as a rule the heavier the straw the longer the years of service. They are all made on a strong fibre warp. Stripe and check effects predominate. Exceptionally good values at each of these three prices. 40 yards in each roll.

Japanese Matting, - - - - $7.50, $9.75, $11.50

Japanese Mattings are the most beautiful straw floor covering. The number of cotton warps and quality of the straw regulates the price, and as a rule the lighter the Japanese matting the better. Some are in carpet effects, others are white with stencil inlaid figures; still others are in stripe effects. It is impossible to judge their beauty or good quality without seeing them.

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LONG TERMS OF CREDIT AT PRICES QUOTED
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Pretty Lace Curtains add greatly to the appearance of the home and every home can have them as prices run today.

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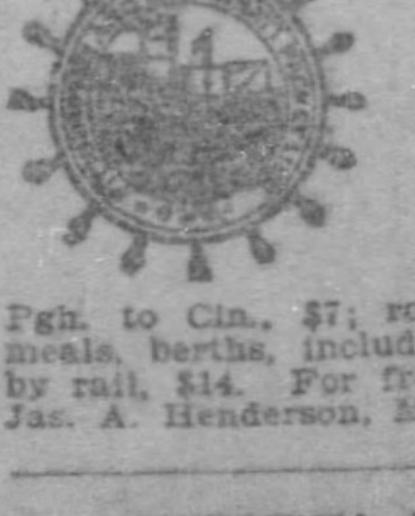

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Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 6.00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 8.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	† 7.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.00 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5.00 am	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 5.03 am	* 5.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.25 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	† 6.30 am	† 1.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 8.05 am	* 8.25 am
Ohio Valley Express	† 6.45 am	† 5.30 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 5.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 4.55 pm
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 6.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 8.05 am	†11.05 am
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8.05 am	†11.05 am
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 8.30 pm
The World's Fair Special	* 1.00 pm	* 2.15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	1.05 pm	* 2.00 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	†12.35 pm	* 5.50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12.35 pm	†11.05 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.55 pm	† 1.10 pm
New Castle and Erie	† 4.30 pm	† 8.20 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.30 pm	† 8.20 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4.55 pm	* 8.40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.30 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 7.30 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5.10 pm	‡ 8.10 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	* 7.45 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.20 pm	* 5.53 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.40 pm	† 5.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 5.40 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6.00 am, †7.30 am, †9.00 am, †9.45 am, †1.30 pm, †3.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.15 pm, ‡4.80 pm, †6.20 pm, †9.20 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †6.45 am, *8.30 am, †11.50 am, †2.80 pm, *6.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, †8.26 am, †4.25 pm, †10.55 pm, ‡11.35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5.40 am, †2.20 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †3.35 pm.

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

Time tables, tickets and sleeping car space may be obtained at 360 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield street; at Union station, Pittsburgh, and at Fort Wayne station, Allegheny.

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Schedule in effect Nov. 22, 1903.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngst'n and Cleve. Mail	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8:25 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12.50 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 5:00 pm	* 9:46 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:50 pm
Boston Special	† 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleve. and Detroit "Flyer"	‡ 6:00 pm	†11:15 am
Chicago Limited	† 6:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5:30 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9:00 am	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	‡12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3:50 pm	*12:30 am
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 5:06 am	* 8:00 am
McKeespt. & Brownsville	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	* 5:20 pm	* 5:45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †5:30 a. m., †10:15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. §Sunday only. ‡Note-Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only). City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. B. YOHE, Gen. Supt. L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect September 13, 1903. Trains leave P. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time), for Conneaut, O.; Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Atlantic Express, daily....3.00 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for Philadelphia and New York....3.35 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily....7.15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily....7.15 a. m.
Day Express, daily....7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily....8.00 a. m.
Philadelphia and New York Express, daily....12.01 p. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily....12.45 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily....4.50 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily....4.55 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily....7.10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily....9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only....10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches....10.00 p. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m., daily.

For Oil City, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 6.15, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.

For Dubois, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00 a. m. and 9.00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7.15 a. m. week-days.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5.00, 8.25 a. m., 12.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days, and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.35 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. week-days. For Brownsville only, 6.05, 8.20 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 6.40 and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m. and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m., Sundays. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.05, 8.20, 10.35 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.30 (5.25 to Monongahela City), 6.40, and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY:—

For Butler, 6.27, 8.57, 9.57 a. m., 2.57 and 5.14 and 8.47 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 9:30 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time Cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, and Union Station.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Pass'r Traffic Mgr. GEO. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Streets.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom'dation	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	† 6:30 am	†10:00 am
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Connv., Un'tn & Fairmont	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
Connv., Un'tn, Morgant'n	† 1:35 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas.	† 1:35 pm	† 5:05 pm
Connellsville Accom'dat'n	* 4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg & Weston	† 6:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6:30 pm	* 9:00 am
West Newton Accom.	† 6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:15 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 7:00 am	*10:25 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 6:36 am	* 7:45 am
St. Louis Limited	* 1:30 pm	*11:05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:35 pm	* 5:45 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:55 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Yo'ng'tn	* 7:30 am	* 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	* 7:00 am	† 8:00 am
Butler, Foxburg	‡ 7:00 am	‡ 7:25 pm
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	†10:40 am	* 3:40 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:50 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler	* 6:15 pm	* 5:10 pm
Ellw'd, Foxb., N. Castle	‡ 6:15 pm	‡ 8:40 am
Butler	*11:30 pm	† 7:35 pm

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

VISITORS MUST RUSH FOR SEATS

Democrats and Republicans Completing Plans for the National Conventions.

GUFFEY WAS NOT AT ST. LOUIS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—The sub-committee of the Democratic national committee today, almost completed arrangements for the Democratic national convention which will meet in St. Louis on July 6, and adjourned to meet again on Wednesday, June 15, in St. Louis. The disposition of tickets for the 10,450 seats that will be available in the convention hall for delegates, alternates, press reporters and general public was taken care of and other matters were arranged.

Those present were Chairman J. K. Jones, of Arkansas; Senator William J. Stone, of Missouri; Daniel Campan, of Michigan; Norman E. Mack, of New York; James M. Head, of Tennessee; J. G. Johnson, of Kansas, and John E. Osborne, of Wyoming. The absentees were J. M. Guffey, of Pennsylvania, and John R. McLean, of Ohio.

A resolution was adopted providing "that all applications for press tickets from newspapers for the Democratic National convention shall be made by and in the name of the publishers or managing editors of the newspapers, and must be filed with Charles H. Muhn, Press Gallery, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., on or before June 8."

A total of 702 seats will be provided for press workers. Of that number 352 seats are for correspondents or local newspaper workers. These will have tables. The remaining 350 seats will be reserved for representatives of the weekly press and publishers who do not send telegraphic matter, but write news-letters. Each member of the National committee has been allotted ten tickets and each delegate three.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Sergeant-at-Arms W. V. Stone of the Republican National convention, who is in Chicago, to remain until after the convention, was busy today discussing arrangements and perfecting plans. Mr. Stone tonight said that all applications for the press seats should be directed to his office in the Auditorium Annex Hotel. According to present arrangements, approximately 300 seats will be provided for the press, a larger proportion, in view of the seating capacity of the Coliseum, than was allowed at the last National convention.

Editor Held for Libel.

Ross Morris of Mannington, W. Va., had a hearing before Alderman King yesterday on a charge of criminal libel. He was held for court in $1,000 bail. L. R. Taylor, also of Mannington, the prosecutor, alleges he was slandered in a paper entitled "Revelations," of which the defendant was publisher. The prosecutor said he had a detective agency work on the case and that papers were found in an Allegheny printing office, where they were printed. He said they were about to be packed in trunks for shipment.

President Against Smoke.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—President Roosevelt has issued an order directing the heads of all executive departments to comply with the law in the District of Columbia, against permitting dense smoke to issue from chimneys, and wherever necessary, to install smoke consumers or make other necessary changes in the machinery of the public buildings.

Bid for Shelter House Rejected.

Bids were opened in the office of Mayor Wyman of Allegheny, yesterday, for the construction of a shelter house in Riverview park. But one bid was received, that of W. F. Trimble & Son, but was rejected as being too high. Their bid was $6,565 and the estimate was $4,560. New bids will be asked for.

MISS REESE CHILLS LADY DELEGATES

Pittsburgh Woman Says Cause of Evils Is Unequal Distribution of Wealth.

VICTORY FOR MRS. DECKER

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 23.—Under the words "Zero drop at session of the Clubwomen," extending in gigantic type across the entire first page of a local newspaper this evening, appears this story.

"There was a heavy frost hereabouts at noon today. The temperature at the Odon dropped below freezing for just three minutes. The area of low barometer and low temperature centered around Miss Clara Reese of Pittsburgh, who is a social reformer in her own right and a young woman who has ideas she is not afraid to voice anent the amelioration of poverty and other unpleasant peculiarities of the proletariat. Several clubwomen had read papers on civil service reform. They looked down on the politician, the paretic and the criminal from the high altitude of assured social position and luxurious living. A discussion followed, limited to three minute speeches. Miss Reese arose by the Pennsylvania standard and said things, and this was the burden of her saying:

"It is well to talk of the care of the insane, of the reformation of the criminal, of the purification of the ballot, of the elevation of womanhood, and of the redress of all the evils that threaten the republic; but would it not be far better to discuss the removal of the one great cause of crime and misery and degeneracy in the United States? The root of all these evils is the unequal distribution of wealth and the monopoly of special privileges. If I had my way, I would make it a high crime and a misdemeanor, a treason to the nation of the deepest and most felonious kind, for any man to pile up and gather together in any way whatever, more than one million of dollars."

Papers were read by Mrs. Imogene B. Oakley, chairman of the civil service reform committee of the Civic club of Philadelphia, on "The Merit System in Municipalities," and Dr. Emil G. Hirsch of Chicago, on "Civil Service Reform in Public Institutions."

A motion was adopted providing that the general federation use its influence toward securing a national law preventing the use of the American flag for advertising purposes.

The most important action taken at today's session was the voting down of a motion to instruct the nomination committee to report two names for each elective office. This is regarded as a victory for the supporters of the candidacy of Mrs. Sarah Platt Decker for president.

BAKERY PARTNERS FIGHT OVER FINANCIAL SHARES

Meyer Rosenshine was held for court by Alderman McMasters yesterday on a charge of converting partnership funds to his own use, made by Max Rosenberg of Colwell street. The men formerly conducted a bakery at Center avenue and Crawford street, but the plant was burned. Rosenberg claims Rosenshine collected the insurance of $2,100 and other moneys belonging to the firm, bringing the total up to $4,500, which he declined to share with his partner. Rosenshine was released on $1,000 for court.

Present for Veteran Postman.

At the government building, yesterday, Reese Price, one of the oldest letter carriers in the mail department, in point of service, was presented with a Morris chair by his fellow carriers. Short addresses were made by Postmaster Holliday and C. J. Milton Hays, a carrier. Mr. Price has carried mail in the Penn avenue district for 30 years.

PATTROVICK IS PLACED ON TRIAL

He Is Charged With Murder of Contractor Samuel T. Ferguson.

BITTER FIGHT LOOKED FOR

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—Milovar Pattrovick, the Croatian charged with the murder of contractor Samuel T. Ferguson at West Middletown nine months ago, today entered a plea of "not guilty" before Judge J. F. Taylor, who conducted the trial against Pattrovick's alleged partner in crime, Milovar Kovovick, who is now under sentence of death for the Ferguson murder. The defendant's counsel are Harry Alvin Hall and James Francis Burke of Pittsburgh, and Attorney Alexander M. Templeton of Washington. The commonwealth is represented by District Attorney Owen C. Underwood of Washington, Detectives Thomas McQuaide, and John Kelly, and Richard Winkler of the First National bank, Pittsburgh, who will act as the interpreter. Attorney John Marron of Pittsburgh, associated in the prosecution, was not present at the opening of the trial.

Fifty jurymen were called before the necessary 12 men were selected. The personnel of the jury is as follows: Georg W. Dunn, farmer, West Bethlehem township; O. A. Phillips, laborer, Peters township; Robert B. Roach, teacher, Peters township; W. E. Slemmons, minister, Washington; Frank G. Duvall, teacher, Speers borough; J. A. Burr, farmer, South Strabane township; Joseph Anderson, miner, Roscoe; T. J. Weddell, farmer, Monongahela; Hiram Rankin, farmer, South Strabane township; J. M. Griffith, farmer, Donegal township; H. D. Chamberlain, superintendent, West Brownsville; F. B. McBride, farmer, North Strabane township.

At 9:15 o'clock tomorrow morning District Attorney Underwood will outline the case for the commonwealth. Following this the taking of testimony will begin. It is thought the Pattrovick case will be even more bitterly fought than that of Kovovick, and the entire week, it is expected, will be occupied by it. Hundreds of people were in Washington today listening to the case's opening. Many West Middletown residents will be called as witnesses.

Odd Fellows Benefit.

A program has been arranged for an entertainment to be given tonight in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall by the Odd Fellows of Western Pennsylvania. It is for the benefit of the fund being raised to meet the expenses of the opening of Wayside Inn at Grove City on July 21. This institution was built recently to provide a home for aged and infirm Odd Fellows.

Engineers Again in Session.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., May 23.—After two days of sightseeing in Southern California, the delegates to the convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers resumed their secret business sessions today. The election of grand officers will be deferred until practically all business matters have been disposed of.

Jews Clash With Police.

GOMEL, RUSSIA, May 23.—A band of young Jews in the streets here last night carried a banner bearing an inscription reading: "Down with the war." They also scattered an inflammatory proclamation. The police interfered, whereupon the Jews fired on them. The police answered with firing two rounds in the air and the Jews dispersed.

Secretary Taft Feels Better.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Secretary Taft writes from his camp in the Adirondacks that he is getting a good rest and is feeling much better than when he left Washington. He adds that he expects to return to this city Wednesday evening next.

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

EXPLOSION AT FINDLAY SNUFFS OUT SEVEN LIVES

Probable, Also, That Five Employes Have Received Fatal Injuries.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

FINDLAY, O., May 23.—Supt. Grote of the Lake Shore Novelty works, where an explosion occurred yesterday, says that a hasty examination of the books and comparison of them with the reports from the employes, shows that seven persons are dead, while five are probably fatally injured.

THE DEAD.

ESTELLE DECKER.
FRANK GRANT.
JOSEPH SHERWOOD.
MARY SNIDER.
JAY SHERWOOD.
DEAN SHAW.
EDITH DILLON.

Last Misfortune Is Fatal.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—The body of Isaac Buchanan, aged 11 years, son of George Buchanan, an iron worker of Canonsburg, was found tonight in Chartiers Creek near Houston. The boy disappeared Saturday, having gone on a frog hunt. He met a train of misfortune during last year. He fell 75 feet from a tree and was unconscious for a week. Another time he fell out of a tree and could not speak for a month, and a short time ago he fell into a cistern full of water and was rescued several hours later, having saved himself by swimming and hanging to a projecting stone.

Supposed Work of Incendiaries.

BLYTHEDALE, PA., May 23.—The store, offices and warehouses of the Blythedale Supply Company were burned last night. Thousands of dollars worth of general merchandise was destroyed, in addition to the books and coal sheets of the following mines: Ocean No. 5, Sarah, Ocean No. 2, Ocean No. 4, and Painter. The fire is believed to have been the work of incendiaries.

How Was It Done?

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 23.—Mrs. Mary Wormsley, proprietor of the Women's Exchange, today reported to Chief of Police Horner that while asleep Sunday night she had been robbed of $50 in money, her Saturday night receipts which she had placed under her pillow. Mrs. Wormsley did not know of the theft until morning.

More Altoona Men Are Idle.

ALTOONA, PA., May 23.—The force of men employed in the Pennsylvania railroad shops here was further reduced today by the suspension of 500 additional employes, making a total of more than 2,000 laid off to date. Work at the Hollidaysburg roundhouse has been stopped. The Altoona Iron company's plant here shut down today, rendering idle 200 men.

Erie Lays Off 200 Men.

MEADVILLE, PA., May 23.—According to notices posted in the Erie Railroad Company's shops here Saturday, more than 200 workmen were paid off and discharged at quitting time tonight. Skilled workmen in machine and boiler shops suffered most.

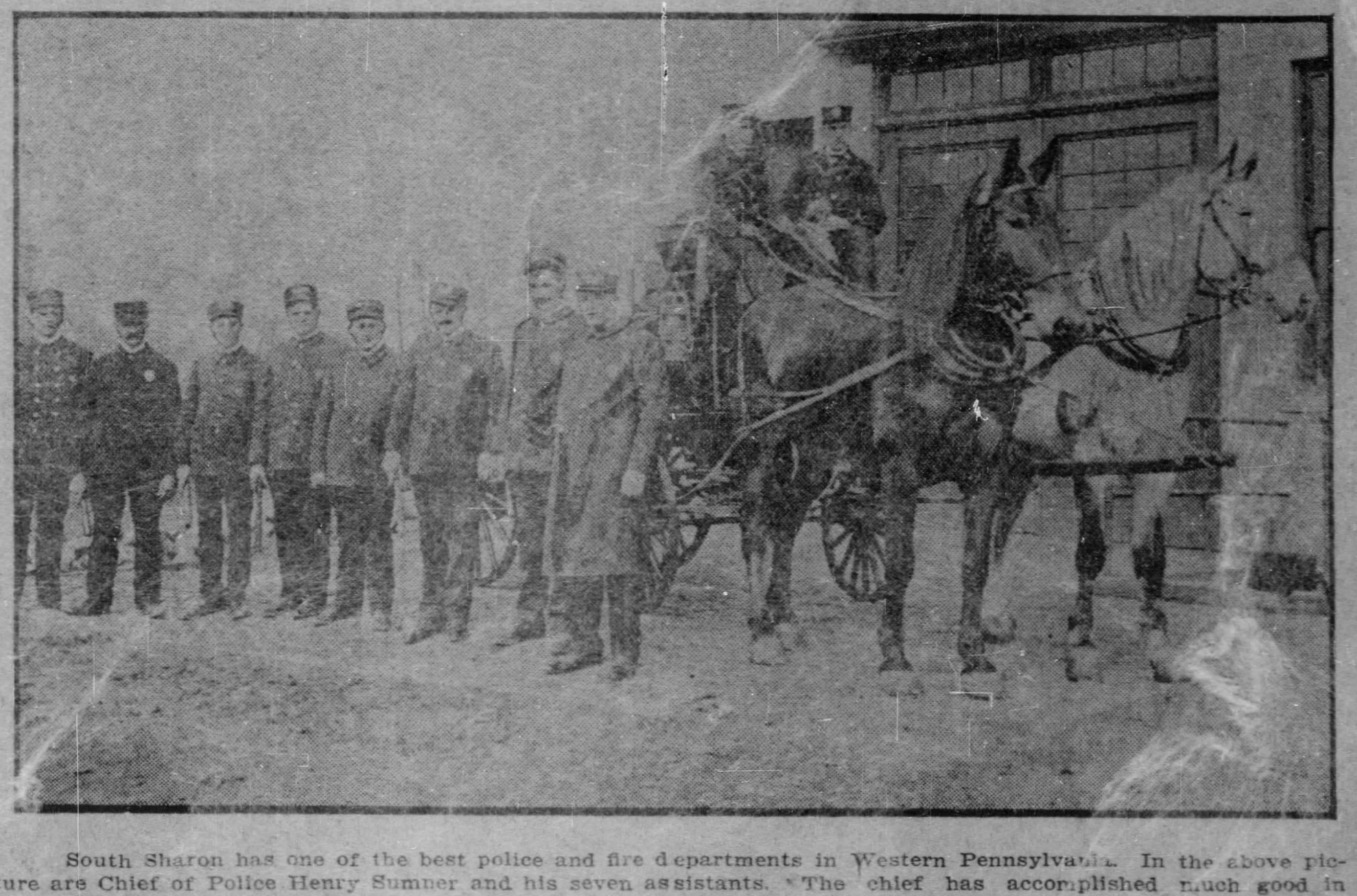
Fatally Crushed by Piano.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—Miss Nina A. Messenger, died at her home in Somerset township today as a result of injuries received by the overturning of a piano which she was cleaning. She lay pinned under the instrument for several hours.

Athlete Becomes a Missionary.

GROVE CITY, PA., May 23.—A call as medical missionary to China has been accepted by Dr. Ralph W. Cunningham, a son of V. Cunningham of this place. He is a graduate of Grove City college and of the University of Michigan. He was chosen center of the All-American team by Casper C. Whitney.

South Sharon Police and Fire Departments.



South Sharon has one of the best police and fire departments in Western Pennsylvania. In the above picture are Chief of Police Henry Sumner and his seven assistants. The chief has accomplished much good in bringing the police department up to a high standard. He is standing by the front wheel of the patrol wagon and hose cart. The two men on the wagon are drivers for the fire department.

MILES HAS NO CHANCE SAYS PROHIBITION CHIEF

Chairman of National Committee Declares That the Soldier Is Not Wanted.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, May 23.—Oliver W. Stewart of Chicago, chairman of the Prohibition national committee, was here today in conference with C. E. Newlin, Indiana state chairman of that party, on arrangements for the national convention to be held in Indianapolis June 29 and 30.

The Tennessee state convention indorsed James A. Tate of Harriman, Tenn., for president. "A resoltion was introduced," said Mr. Stewart, "instructing the delegates to the national convention to vote against Lieut.-Gen. Miles, but the resolution was withdrawn for the reason that the delegates were all oppsed to Miles anyhow and there was no good reason for taking any negative action."

Mr. Stewart says that besides Tate the men most discussed for the nomination for president are Alfred Manierre of New York city; A. A. Hopkins of Hornellsville, N. Y. and A. G. Wolfenbarger of Lincoln, Neb. Dr. C. S. Swallow of Pennsylvania is frequently mentioned and probably will receive some votes, although Pennsylvania will not present his name.

Cadet Brittingham's Funeral.

WHEELING, May 23.—The casket containing the body of Midshipman Philip S. Brittingham, who was drowned at Annapolis, arrived here today. Archdeacon B. M. Spurr of Moundsville had charge of the remains. Services were conducted at St. Luke's church, of which the dead midshipman's father is the rector. A detail of cadets from the Linsley institute accompanied the remains to Greenwood cemetery.

BOGUS PIANOS USED IN SMUGGLING OPIUM

Wealthy Seattle Man and Two Accomplices Arrested by Government Detectives.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Chief Wilkie of the secret service, today gave out the following statement:

"Secret service agents have been investigating the suspected smuggling of opium between Seattle and Portland. After three months' work the investigation closed Sunday last with the seizure of $20,000 worth of crude opium and the arrest of S. B. Stevens, alias Tuttle; W. S. Cree and Alfred Larsen, all of Seattle. Stevens, who is said to be wealthy, is charged with being the principal.

Chinese merchants at Victoria imported the opium from China, delivered it to agents of Stevens, who placed it aboard a launch owned by him, and it was landed during the night near Seattle. He had two skeleton pianos, and two large iron safes into which the opium was packed, the pianos were then boxed, the safes covered with burlap and the entire consignment shipped by freight to four fictitious persons at Portland, where the distributers got possession of the opium, which was marketed by them. When emptied the pianos were reshipped to Seattle to be similarly used again."

To Issue Anti-Saloon Report.

Superintendent Page of the Allegheny county Anti-Saloon League is compiling a statement of the work accomplished by the league during the past year which will be distributed in the county within 10 days. A synopsis of the work contemplated for the coming year is included in the report.

HE HELPED TO SURVEY PORT ARTHUR'S DEFENSES

Col. Augustus C. Buell, Soldier Correspondent and Author, Is Dead.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Col. Angus C. Buell, widely known as a soldier, war correspondent and author of a standard "Life of John Paul Jones," is dead. Col. Buell won his military title before he was 20 years old. It is said that he ran away from school to join the Ninth artillery, which was organized by Gen. Sheridan, and that his aptness for military knowledge, and judgment beyond his years, procured his rapid advancement. He was for many years identified with the Cramp Shipbuilding Company and was conneceted with the survey operations for the Port Arthur defenses, which the Japanese forces are endeavoring to break down.

Augustus C. Buell was born in Norwich, N. Y., September 4, 1847. He became secretary to Charles H. Cramp, which position he held until about a year ago, when he resigned. He was the author of "The Cannoneer," "Recollections of a Private Soldier" and "Life of Sir William Johnson," in addition to his work on Paul Jones. He was married twice.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

Northern Securities Argument Ended.

TRENTON, N. J., May 23.—John G. Johnson of Philadelphia for E. H. Harriman and W. S. Pierce, and W. D. Guthrie of New York for the defense, concluded arguments today in the suit to restrain the proposed distribution of the Northern Securities assets. Printed briefs will be submitted to the court in two weeks.

INDIAN SCHOOL WILL REMAIN AT CARLISLE

Superintendent Pratt Denies That Institution Is to Be Removed to Montana.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, PA., May 23.—"The story that the Carlisle Indian school is to be transferred to Helena, Mont., is a fake," said Col. R. H. Pratt, superintendent of that institution, today during a visit to Harrisburg.

"The Carlisle school has been established by law," continued Col. Pratt, "built up and taken care of for 25 years and can only be removed by action of the power that established and has kept it going—the congress of the United States. Doubtless, the Montana Wesleyan university would be glad to unload its property on the government, and that is probably the moving influence. The allegation of economy of transportation is absurd. The pupils would have to be transported to that school and its supplies would have to be transported much farther.

"The outing system at Carlisle," concluded Col. Pratt, "which is probably the best feature of any and all the educational systems of the government, is just about as large as the outing systems of the other schools combined."

Knights Templar in Conclave.

YORK, PA., May 23.—The 51st annual conclave of the Knights Templar will convene here tomorrow. Among the arrivals are Pittsburgh No. 1, Philadelphia No. 2, Mary No. 36, Philadelphia; Hugh De Paynes No. 19, Easton; Hermit No. 24, Lebanon; Tancred No. 48, Pittsburgh; Reading No. 42, Corinthian Chasseur, Philadelphia; and several others. Gen. J. F. S. Gobin, past grand commander of the grand assembly of the United States commandery, with a large escort and the Eighth regiment, N. G. P. band, is in the city, as well as all the officers of the grand commandery.

Kind Act Brought $14,000.

NEW CASTLE, PA., May 23.—Robert Alexander, an engineer of the local Pennsylvania lines, has just been notified by Kansas City attorneys that Mrs. William Johns of that state recently died, leaving him $14,000. Alexander, while visiting in Missouri, nursed William Johns until the latter's death. For his kindness Johns' widow told Alexander she would remember him in a substantial way.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

GROVE CITY, PA.—Mrs. Albert Bates in a fit of insanity, poured kerosene oil over her clothes and set fire to them. She will recover.

GROVE CITY, PA.—The Democratic county convention will meet at Mercer June 16. B. Magaffin will probably be nominated for the judgeship.

WASHINGTON, PA.—A 30-barrel well was struck two miles east of Washington by the Cameron Oil Company at a depth of 2,500 feet in the 50-foot sand.

POTTSVILLE, PA.—Walton Smith, manager of the United Telephone Company, was today arrested, charged with the embezzlement of $900 from the company.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Invitations have been issued for the Washington and Jefferson college senior picnic to be held at Oakmont park, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, June 11.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—Fire destroyed the residences of the Rev. Alphas Cole and Samuel Anderson late Saturday night, causing a loss of about $7,000, with little insurance.

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA.—Angelo Patimani shot and instantly killed Mike Nobla, a countryman, at Soldier mines, last night. The men were rivals for a girl's love. The assassin has fled.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead of Pittsburgh diocese participated today in the ordination of the Rev. Alfred Izon of Pittsburgh. Father Alexander of Pittsburgh delivered the special sermon. The Rev. Mr. Izon has been placed in charge of the Elwood City and Greenville churches.

BROWNSVILLE, PA.—The sheriff of Blair county will come to Brownsville tomorrow to take William Slade, aged 28, a negro, into custody for the alleged killing of his foreman at the Gallitzin tunnel near Altoona, last September. Slade was arrested Saturday night on identification by several negroes.

Anniversary specials in laces and embroideries

VAL. laces—500 dozen dainty French valenciennes lace edgings and insertings, in neat patterns that wash well—½ to ⅞ in. wide—regular price 25c and 35c, Anniversary Sale Price, 15c per dozen yds

Fine wash laces—pure linen torchon edgings and insertings, also Medici and point russe lace edgings and insertings—exact copies of real hand-made laces—the best lot ever offered at 15c, 10c and 5c yd

Venise lace all-overs—beautiful Venise and repousse lace nets, 18 in. wide, very fine for making lace waists — Anniversary Sale Prices, 98c, 75c and 48c

45-in. flouncing—fine white Swiss flouncings, with rows of embroidery and lace insertings and ruffle flounce, excellent for confirmation gowns, etc., 45 in. wide—at 1.48, 1.25 and 98c

Fine laces, ½ price—our entire stock of fine St. Gall and Plauen lace bands and galloons, of which we have only 1 to 3 yards, marked 75c to $2 yard, at ½ off marked prices

Net top laces—very beautiful line, dozens of patterns, in white, butter or ecru, very fashionable for sleeves, hats, ruffles, etc., 6 to 16 in. wide —Anniversary Sale Prices, 75c, 48c and 25c

White embroidered flouncings—dainty and showy patterns, embroidered on fine cambric, suitable for corset covers as well as skirt flouncings—always 35c, Anniversary Sale Price 21c

$12 black spangled robes for 5.90

A rare chance to add one of these lovely robes to your wardrobe. They're made of fine silk net, well covered with shimmering spangles, cut in very latest style—each robe complete (skirt, waist and sleeves), ready to sew together—worth $12, in the trimming department, 5.90.

Anniversary silk specials
That will crowd the silk department today

$1.25 peau de soie (36 in.), 98c—deep, lustrous, fast black peau de soie, no weighting or dressing used in the making of this fine silk, and every yard will give entirely satisfactory wear. $1.25 is the price usually asked for this double width silk. Our price today, 98c yd.

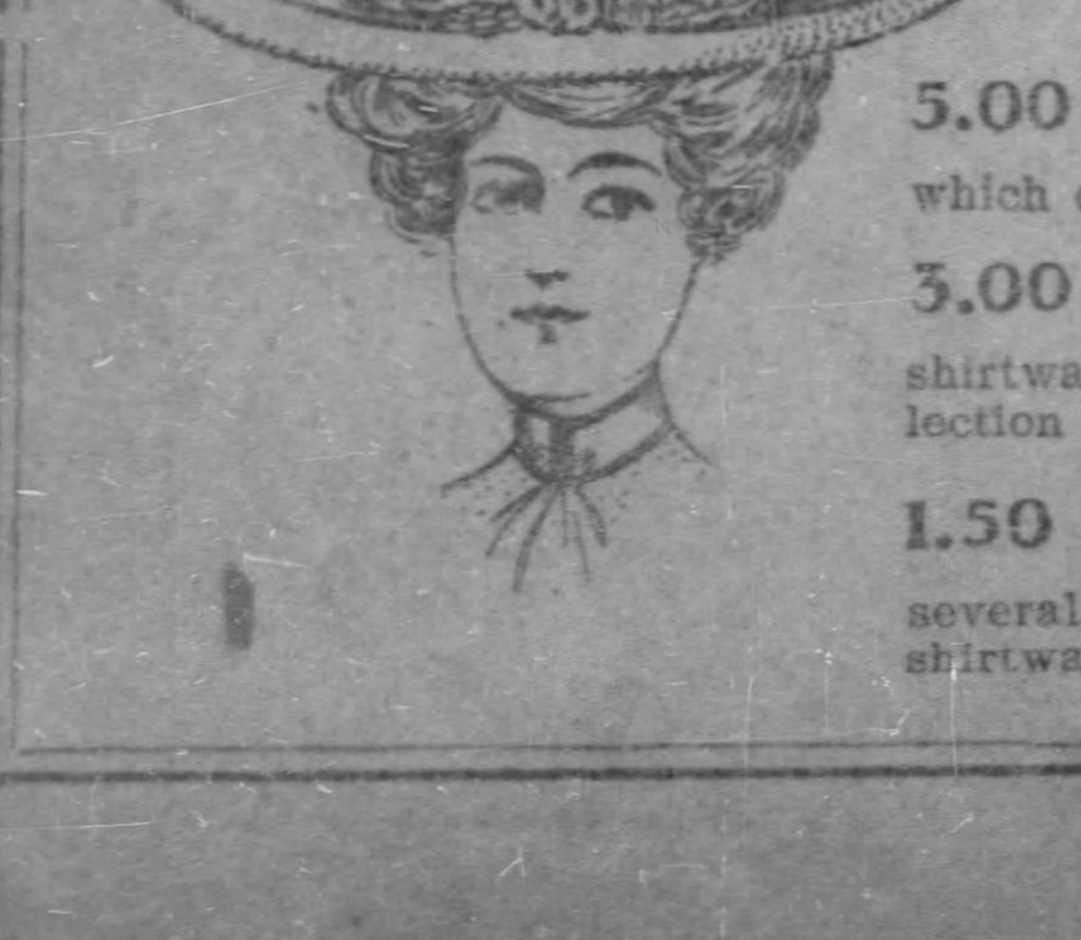
44 in. chameleon grenadines, 95c—there's quite a demand for these chameleon grenadines, especially for the green and blue, red and blue and plain blue combinations—just the kinds included in this offer.

75c and 85c crepe de chine, 59c—our entire stock of 75c and 85c crepe de chines go in this sale without reserve. You can choose from all the new shades of brown, gray, tan, navy, light blue, red, pink, green, etc.

Shirtwaist suiting silks, 47½c & 65c—15,000 yards of shirtwaist suitings of all kinds and descriptions—checks, stripes, dots and figured effects, in the newest shades of brown, navy, royal, black, gray, green, plum, etc.—19 and 27 in. wide at 47½c and 65c yd.—worth up to $1.25.

Anniversary specials in
Women's trimmed millinery

THE head of the millinery department has caught the true spirit of this Anniversary Sale and offers for today three lines of trimmed hats at prices never before equaled so early in the season.



5.00 buys choice from an assortment of 200 cleverly designed and trimmed hats which ordinarily would command $6 to $10.

3.00 buys choice from the newest sailors, milan and hand made straw turbans and shirtwaist hats of every new design. Not a hat in the collection but which would readily bring $5 to $7.

1.50 buys choice from a large collection of becomingly trimmed hats left from our several recent big sales at $3.75 and $5.00. All beautiful shirtwaist styles, perfectly fresh and clean.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

33rd anniversary sale

To show our appreciation of your goodwill and patronage, which have really made this store what it is today—we this week

Forego profits in all departments

Of course the Anniversary Sale inducements are the best ever offered—and it will pay folks living at great distances to make special trips to "The Big Store" this week to share in the many unparalleled values.

In order that out-of-town folks may enjoy the same buying advantages as the city residents—we will every day this week—

Refund round trip R. R. fares

to all persons living within a radius of 40 miles from Pittsburgh purchasing goods here to the amount of $10 or over.

Folks living a greater distance than 40 miles will have the same fare refunded to them as those residing 40 miles from Pittsburgh.

Anniversary specials in women's wear

Women's bertha waists—Made with brussels net yoke front and back; deep bertha of same, with rows of insertion and edging; pretty stock collar; also a great variety of the new yoke and shoulder effects—waists of which the regular prices are $1.25 and $1.39; Anniversary Sale Price 95c

Women's dotted Swiss and Persian lawn waists—made in one of the prettiest models; circular yoke front and back of rows of Val. lace—also a dotted Swiss waist with 6 shoulder pleats to bust and two rows of pearl buttons down front. These waists were made to retail for $2.50, and are exceptionally good value at that price. Anniversary Sale Price 1.25

Women's extra fine pure linen, linen lawn and light weight damask waists; button on the side or front, with six tailored pleats from shoulder to bust; shirt sleeves; tab collars; waists that are worth every cent of $2.50 and $3.00; Anniversary Sale Price 1.98

Women's tub suits—and wash shirtwaist suits—made of percales, chambrays and mercerized cotton effects—the waists made with yoke effects, piped or tucked—the skirts in dress or walking length trimmed to match waist—our regular $4 and $5 suits—Anniversary Sale Price 2.98

Women's charming wash shirtwaist suits—made of fine white and figured lawns, madras and linens—the waists handsomely piped and tucked and lace trimmed—trainless skirts trimmed to match waists. We've been selling these attractive suits at $8.50 (and we've sold hundreds of them), but as an Anniversary special, we'll make the price today 5.00

Women's exceptionally fine shirtwaist suits and tub gowns—styles that have been most critically chosen—made of finest linens, lawns and butcher's linen—the waists handsomely tucked and pleated, or hand embroidered and lace insertion trimmed—dress and walking length skirts, trimmed to match waists—regular price $15, Annversary Sale Price 10.00

High grade French china at close to half price

IT IS not mere talk when we tell you that never before have we sold such beautiful and artistic china at such low prices—which actually do not cover manufacturing cost. It's known as the "Coronet" brand, the finest French product, made in Limoges by the very best china manufacturers in the world. Every piece is stamped with the "Coronet" trade mark.

There are plates of all sizes, very large chop plates, chocolate pots, cracker jars, celery trays, ice cream sets, strawberry short cake trays, comb and brush trays, etc., etc. The prices and savings run this way:

LIMOGES CORONET FRANCE

Fancy Decorated Plates.
Regular 75c values at 48c.
Regular $1.25 values at 75c.
Regular $1.50 values at 87c.
Regular $2 values at 1.25.
Regular $2.50 values for 1.48.
Regular $2.98 values at 1.75.

Fancy Fruits and Comports.
Regular 75c values at 48c.
Regular $1.25 values at 75c.
Regular $1.50 values at 98c.
Regular $2 values at 1.25.

Fancy Celery Trays and Bread Boats.
Regular $1.50 values at 98c.
Regular $1.75 values at 1.25.
Regular $2.50 values at 1.75.
Regular $3 values at 1.98.

Richly Decorated Pudding Sets.
Regular $5 values at 3.50.
Regular $6.75 values at 4.98.
Regular $8.50 values at 5.98.

Chop Dishes and Strawberry Shortcake Trays.
Regular $2.50 values at 1.50.
Regular $3.50 values at 1.98.
Regular $4 values at 2.48.
Regular $4.50 values at 2.87.
Regular $5 values at 3.48.
Regular $5.50 values at 3.98.

Decorated Cracker or Biscuit Jars.
Regular $2.50 values at 1.69.
Regular $3.50 values at 2.48.

Fancy Decorated Chocolate or Cocoa Pots.
Regular $2.98 values at 1.98.
Regular $4.50 values at 2.98.

Fancy Decorated Cake and Bread Plates.
Regular $1.50 values at 98c.
Regular $2.50 values at 1.48.
Regular $2.98 values at 1.75.
Regular $3.50 values at 1.98.

Decorated Comb and Brush, Also Manicure Trays.
Regular 98c values at 68c.
Regular $1.50 values at 98c.
Regular $2 values at 1.48.
Regular $2.75 values at 1.87.

Richly Decorated Tankard Jug Vases.
Regular $3.50 values at 2.48.
Regular $4.50 values at 2.98.
Regular $5.50 values at 3.98.
Regular $7 values at 4.98.

Fancy Footed Comports and Jelly Dishes.
Regular $2.25 values at 1.48.
Regular $3 values at 1.98.
Regular $3.50 values at 2.48.
Regular $4 values at 2.75.
Regular $5.50 values at 3.98.

Decorated Handled Sugar Baskets and Bon Bons.
Regular $1.50 values at 98c.
Regular $2.25 values at 1.48.
Regular $3 values at 1.98.

Anniversary specials in
Things women need
Hosiery, gloves, hand bags and jewelry

Women's stockings—fancy figured, plain black, tan and drop stitch effects, guaranteed fast colors—regular price 15c—Anniversary Sale Price 11c

Women's gloves—the real Viennese lisle, in black, white and all colors, with two pearl clasps—regular 50c quality—Anniversary Sale Price 35c

Women's hand or carriage bags—large or medium size, solid leather, fitted or with inside pocket—regular price 50c and 75c—Anniversary Sale Price 39c

Gold plated collar button sets—of 4 buttons, suitable for either men or women—worth 10c—Anniversary Sale Price 3c

Women's belt buckle sets—consisting of front and back buckles, in French gray silver, small and large designs—worth up to 50c—Anniversary Sale Price 15c

"Peggy from Paris" bags—the newest bag out, all one piece solid leather, black or tan, double strap handles—regular price 59c—Anniversary Sale Price 44c

Silver plated wrist purses—with chain attached, silk lined, finished in oxidized and butler silver—Anniversary Sale Price 19c

Children's Parasols—made of fancy figured chintz, good strong frame and handle—regular price 25c—Anniversary Sale Price 17c

Some of the wonderful Anniversary offers in
Infants' and children's wear

Children's wash dresses—mother hubbard or princess style, pretty patterns, in light or dark colors, sizes 1 to 6 years—Anniversary Sale Price 50c

Children's reefers—made of pique or pure grass linen, neatly trimmed with embroidery or lace, sizes 1 to 4 years—Anniversary Sale Price 98c

Children's straw crown hats—also fancy braid hats, very prettily trimmed, all colors—Anniversary Sale Price 2.50

Babies' long cloaks—made of cashmere or bedford cord, mostly sample lines—regular price $4.50 to $7.50—Anniversary Sale Price 2.98

Babies' nainsook dresses—long and short, made with cute little baby yokes, hemstitched or tucked skirts—Anniversary Sale Price 1.00

Babies' fine poque bonnets, beautiful styles, lace or embroidery trimmed—regular price $3 to $6, Aniversary Sale Price, 1.75

Children's muslin drawers—well made, also cambric waists, all sizes—Anniversary Sale at 10c

Children's cambric waists—gathered front, lace or embroidery trimmed—Anniversary Sale Price 25c

Children's guimps—made of fine lawn, with embroidery and tucks, all sizes—Anniversary Sale Price 50c

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AMATEUR SPORTS A GAZETTE FEATURE

No other Paper tells so well what the Boys are doing in the Sporting Line—The Gazette is in the Lead.

THE PIRATES' BATS WERE IN GOOD WORKING ORDER

BOSTON BEATEN IN EASY STYLE

Buckenberger's "Phenom" Was Given a Trouncing—Phillippe Was in His Best Form.

WAS AN UMPIRE'S SCORE

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Pittsburgh ...... 9—Boston 0
Cincinnati ...... 5—Philadelphia 1
Chicago .... 1—New York 1
Brooklyn .... 7—St. Louis 4

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	22	10	.688	Pittsburgh	13	15	.464
Chicago	19	10	.655	Brooklyn	13	17	.433
New York	18	10	.643	Boston	10	18	.357
St. Louis	16	13	.552	Philadelphia	5	23	.179

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Boston at Exposition park.

The third game of the series between Pittsburgh and Boston was taken by the Pirates by an umpire's score of 9 to 0. The contest was too one-sided to be interesting to the 3,460 spectators, and after the third inning, when the locals went to the front with two runs to their credit, the only question was the size the score would be at the finish.

Al Buckenberger, the former Pirate pilot, who is at the head of the Beaneaters, stated on his arrival here that he had a surprise in store for the champions in the shape of a young pitcher who was getting his first lessons in the league and who had already made quite a showing against the rest of the western teams. The "phenom," of "Buck's" was on duty yesterday, and what the Pirates did to his delivery will live as a nightmare to him for the rest of the season. Fisher started out as though he was going to do a Cy Young act in the shutting-out line, but this form only lasted for two innings.

It was in the third when Clarke's men began to size up the young man's delivery, and from that time on there were lively doings in the batting line. The sixth, however, was where he met his Waterloo, and the bombardment that he received was something fierce. In that one inning 12 Pirates went to bat, and with six hits, three bases on balls and one error, seven runs were chalked up. It was thought that would be sufficient and that Captain Tenney would call for aid, but he did not, for the reason that the game was lost anyhow, and to put another pitcher in would be a foolish move, so Fisher was forced to take his medicine, but after that inning he again settled down and finished in fine style.

Deacon Phillippe was on the rubber for the Pirates, and there never was a moment when he was not master of the visiting batters. The deacon was in his best form and he had all kinds of curves and shoots at his command. He was given excellent support by his fellow players, who put up a lively article of ball all the way. The best feature of the Pirates' work, to the team's followers, was the manner in which the players hit the ball, which shows that the team is rounding to in that respect, for it was in batting that the team was weak since the opening of the season.

The Pirates went out in order in the first two innings, but in the third it was different. Ritchey, who was first up, went out on a fly, but Phelps followed with a single to center, only to be forced at second by Phillippe. Beaumont beat out an infield bounder and Fred Clarke roused the enthusiasm by bounding the ball against the score board for a three-bagger and scoring both Phillippe and Beaumont. The fourth and fifth were without result, but the sixth made up for lost time. Clarke opened the inning with a neat bunt and Leach went out on a fly. Wagner drew a base on balls and then followed a succession of hits, with enough bases on balls sandwiched in to let seven runs across the plate.

After the sixth, when the Pirates took such a long lead, Phillippe showed a disposition to ease up, but the spectators yelled for a shutout, and the deacon put on steam and granted the wish, although the job looked like a hard one, particularly in the eighth, when two of the visitors were on the bases, with but one out. It was at that point that the deacon showed his real worth, for the next two batters were easy outs. The score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
B'mont m.	2	1	2	0	0	Geier m.	0	0	3	1	0
Clarke l.	1	3	3	0	0	Tenney 1.	0	2	5	0	0
Leach 3.	0	1	2	4	1	Ab'chio s.	0	0	2	1	0
Wagner s.	1	0	2	2	0	Cooley l.	0	1	3	0	0
Sebring r.	1	2	3	0	0	Dele'ty 3.	0	1	2	3	0
B'field 1.	1	0	9	1	1	Raymer 2.	0	1	5	3	1
Ritchey 2.	1	1	3	2	0	Cannell r.	0	2	0	0	1
Phelps c.	0	1	2	0	0	Moran c.	0	0	3	3	0
Phil'pe p.	2	1	1	0	0	Fisher p.	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	9	10	27	9	2	Totals	0	7	24	12	2

Pittsburgh ......0 0 2 0 0 7 0 0 *—9
Boston ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Three-base hit—Clarke. Sacrifice hits—Clarke, Bransfield, Phelps. Stolen bases—Wagner, Ritchey, Tenney, Raymer. Double play—Geir and Delehanty. First base on balls—Off Phillippe 2 (Abbaticchio, Cannell), off Fisher 7 (Beaumont, Wagner 2, Sebring, Bransfield, Ritchey, Phelps). Hit by pitched ball—Phelps. Struck out—By Phillippe 2 (Geier, Cooley), by Fisher 2 (Clarke, Bransfield). Wild pitch—Fisher. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Day.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Roscoe Miller will be called on to face the Boston batters today and try to pitch a victory over Wilhelm, the ex-Pirate.

Irvin Wilhelm, the former Pirate pitcher, whose home is in Wooster, O., will be on the rubber for the Boston team this afternoon.

There was a mix-up in the first inning over Tenney's foul fly. Clarke called on Wagner to take the ball, but Leach must not have heard the cry, as he tried but dropped the ball.

Jimmy Sebring used poor judgment when he allowed himself to be caught off third in the fourth inning. The double steal was tried, and Ritchey worked his end all right, but Sebring failed.

Phillippe made a fine play when he covered first base in the first and got the put-out on Abbatticchio. The deacon made a flying leap for the base, and only got the ball in one hand, but held to it.

Eddie Phelps was caught off first by a clever trick play on the part of the Boston players in the fifth. Phelps had reached first by a base on balls and Tenney played close in on the diamond. This induced Phelps to take a long lead off the bag, which allowed Raymer to slip in behind, and when Moran snapped the ball, he neatly blocked the base and put the ball on the Pirate. Leever, who was coaching at first, got a call for not keeping his eyes open.

ELEVEN-INNING DRAW.

Colts and Giants Put Up the Real Article of Baseball.

CHICAGO, May 23.—In one of the sharpest and most exciting games of the season, New York and Chicago today went eleven innings to a tie. The game was called to allow the New York team to catch a train. Each side scored once early in the game on good hitting. Mathewson's work in the ninth was remarkable, as with men on first and third, with no outs, he settled so that none of the succeeding batsmen could get the ball outside of the diamond. Attendance, 5,100. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Wicker m.	0	0	2	0	0	Browne r.	1	1	2	0	0
Casey 3.	0	2	1	2	0	Devlin 3.	0	2	1	2	0
Chance 1.	0	1	15	4	1	McGann 1.	0	0	11	1	0
M'Carthy l.	0	0	0	0	0	Mertes l.	0	0	3	0	0
Jones r.	1	1	1	0	0	M'Car'k m.	0	0	3	0	0
Evers 2.	0	1	2	5	1	Dahlen s.	0	1	4	4	0
O'Neill c.	0	1	8	3	0	Gilbert 2.	0	2	1	6	0
Tinker s.	0	0	0	3	0	Bow'man c.	0	0	5	1	0
Weimer p.	0	0	4	2	0	Math'son p.	0	1	3	1	0
Totals	1	6	33	19	2	Totals	1	7	33	15	0

Chicago ....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1
New York ...0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Left on bases—Chicago, 7; New York, 5. Two-base hits—Devlin, Dahlen, Mathewson. Stolen base—Chance. Double play—Evers and O'Neill. Struck out—By Weimer, 7; by Mathewson, 4. Bases on balls—Off Mathewson, 1. Time, 1:50. Umpires—Emslie and Johnstone. Game called end eleventh to allow New York to catch train.

WON IN THE NINTH.

Brooklyn Made a Hurricane Finish and Beat the Cardinals.

ST. LOUIS, MO., May 23.—Brooklyn took the final game from St. Louis today in a hurricane finish, 7 to 4. St. Louis led in the ninth 4 to 1, when Brooklyn found Dunleavy and made seven hits, including two home runs, and put six runs over the plate. Poole pitched in the ninth for Brooklyn as Jordan batted for Garvin in the first half, and he shut St. Louis out. Attendance, 2,700. Score:

St. Louis	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
O'Neil 1.	0	0	2	0	0	Sheckard l.	1	1	4	0	0
Shannon r.	0	1	0	0	0	Lumley r.	1	3	1	0	0
Beckley 1.	2	1	9	1	0	Dobbs m.	0	0	3	0	0
Smoot m.	0	2	1	0	0	Dillon 1.	0	2	10	1	0
Brain s.	0	0	2	1	0	Strang 2.	1	1	1	3	1
Farrell 2.	1	1	1	3	0	Babb s.	1	1	1	3	1
Burke 3.	1	2	2	3	0	M'Cor'k 3.	1	2	0	3	0
McLean c.	0	0	7	1	0	Bergen c.	1	2	6	0	0
Dunl'vy p.	0	0	3	2	0	Garvin p.	0	0	1	2	0
*Byers	0	1	0	0	0	†Jordan	1	1	0	0	0
						Poole p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4	8	27	11	0	Totals	7	13	27	12	2

*Batted for Dunleavy in ninth. †Batted for Garvin in ninth.

St. Louis.........1 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4
Brooklyn ....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 6—7

Two-base hits—Beckley, Sheckard, Burke. Three-base hit—Smoot. Home runs—Strang, Lumley. Sacrifice hits—Sheckard, Dunleavy. Double plays—Burke, Farrell, Beckley. Stolen bases—Farrell, McCormack. Wild pitch—Garvin. Bases on balls—Off Dunleavy, 2; off Garvin, 1. Struck out—By Dunleavy, 5; by Garvin, 3. Left on bases—St. Louis, 6; Brooklyn, 7. Time, 1:37. Umpire—Moran.

M'PHERSON'S BAD START.

The Quaker Pitcher Lost His Game in the First Inning.

CINCINNATI, May 23.—McPherson hit two batsmen and gave a base on balls in the first inning. This, with two singles and two errors, netted Cincinnati three runs. Errors also figured in each of the other runs scored by the locals. Philadelphia was compelled to earn its lone tally. Attendance, 2,825. Score:

Cincin'ti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Phila.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Huggins 2.	1	0	2	1	0	Thomas m.	1	2	2	0	0
Donlin 1.	0	0	4	1	0	Gleason 2.	0	0	4	4	0
Kelley 1.	1	1	6	1	0	Wolv'ton 3.	0	1	2	0	1
Seymo'r m.	1	1	0	0	0	Marshall c.	0	1	3	2	0
Corc'an s.	2	1	1	5	0	Titus r.	0	0	2	0	0
Dolan r.	0	1	4	0	0	Doyle 1.	0	0	8	1	1
Woodr'f 3.	0	0	3	1	0	Duffy l.	0	1	1	0	1
Peitz c.	0	0	6	0	0	Hall s.	0	0	2	2	1
Hahn p.	0	1	1	1	0	M'Ph'son p.	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	5	5	27	10	0	Totals	1	5	24	13	4

Cincinnati ....3 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 *—5
Philadelphia ......1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Three-base hit—Corcoran. Stolen bases—Kelley. Double play—Doyle, Hall to Doyle. Base on balls—Off McPherson, 4. Sacrifice hits—Gleason, Hahn. Hit by McPherson, 3. Struck out—By Hahn, 2; by McPherson, 3. Time, 1:35. Umpire—Zimmer.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	19	9	.679	Cleveland	14	12	.519
Philadelphia	18	11	.621	St. Louis	13	14	.481
New York	15	12	.556	Detroit	10	18	.357
Chicago	17	14	.548	Washington	6	19	.240

St. Louis 2—Boston 1.

At Boston—

R.H.E.
St. Louis..........0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2 10 1
Boston ....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 1

Batteries—Geade and Sugden, Lang and Criger.

Chicago 6—New York 2.

At New York—

R.H.E.
New York..........0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2 8 3
Chicago ....1 0 1 2 0 1 1 0 0—6 11 1

Batteries—Griffith, Hughes and Klemow; Altrock and McFarland.

Cleveland 4—Athletes 3.

At Philadelphia—

R.H.E.
Cleveland..........0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 3—4 6 0
Philadelphia ......0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 9 3

Batteries—Donahue and Bemis, Waddell and Shreck.

Washington 4—Detroit 2.

At Washington—

R.H.E.
Washington ......1 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 *—4 7 1
Detroit ....1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 7 2

Batteries—Jacobson, Patten and Drill; Donovan and Beulow.

SHELBY AT HOMESTEAD.

Beltzhoover to Meet P. A. C.—Gossip Anent the Players.

The Shelby Steel team plays at Homestead this afternoon. Either "Soldier" Mullin or Davies will pitch for the Steel Workers. The Homestead players attended the game at Exposition park yesterday and all rooted for Jim Delehanty, who is a brother of Bill Delehanty of the Homesteads. "Soldier" Mullin did the most rooting.

The Beltzhoover team will play the Pittsburgh Athletic club this evening at Friendship park. The game will be called at 6 o'clock. Rankin and Hart will do the pitching for P. A. C. and Carter for Beltzhoover. Beltzhoover will be stronger than usual for this game.

Pitcher "Pat" Eastley, who has been doing good work for West Newton, will join the Turtle Creek Valley Athletics this Saturday. He may play the outfield.

Pitcher "Lefty" Jackson rejoined the Youngstown team yesterday. He had been at Mt. Clemens getting in shape. Manager Hogan intends to pitch him against Warren Thursday at Youngstown.

Laporte, the Wilmerding boy playing second on the Buffalo Eastern league club, is hitting at .316. Pitcher Alex Jones of Homestead is hitting at .222. Clymer is down to the surprisingly low figure of .194.

The Smoky City Colored Giants will play a twilight game at Swissvale Thursday evening. This evening the Wilmerding Independents will play at Swissvale.

There is a letter at this office for Pitcher Lew Moren.

There will be a meeting of the County league Thursday evening. The league's schedule for Saturday is: North Braddock and Zangwill at Schenley park and Gordon Athletic club and Floradoras at Homestead.

MATCHED AT LAST.

Terry McGovern and Eddie Hanlon Will Battle in July.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Terry McGovern of Brooklyn and Eddie Hanlon of San Francisco are to meet in the ring. Today these little fighters signed articles calling for a battle to take place not later than July 15 at 129 pounds at 5 o'clock. Sam Harris acted for the Brooklyn boxer, while Bob Deady looked after the interests of Hanlon.

There was very little preliminary talk. The boys were anxious to meet and their managers soon came to terms. Deady wanted the articles to call for 129 pounds at 5 o'clock, but at Harris' request he took off a pound.

Bids for the contest will be opened June 6. Each party binds himself not to engage in any other contest until the fight it settled.

Allegheny Team Loses Another.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., May 23.—(Special.)—The Allegheny Works team lost here today, 10 to 7. Score:

P'k'sb'rg.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Allegheny.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bero 3.	2	1	1	1	0	Cauley s.	1	2	1	3	0
Farson 2.	1	1	1	1	0	Shusler c.	1	1	1	0	0
O'Neal r.	1	3	0	0	0	Horen l.	1	1	1	0	0
Stribig 1.	1	1	6	0	0	Clauss 1.	0	2	6	0	0
Curtis c.	0	2	5	0	0	Wharton 2.	0	0	4	0	1
Keller l.	2	2	9	1	0	Mayer 3.	0	0	2	3	1
Massner s.	1	0	1	4	1	Fisher m.	1	1	3	0	3
Barkw'l m.	1	2	2	1	1	Donahue r.	1	1	2	0	0
Posey p.	1	1	2	6	0	Blumling p.	2	2	1	4	0
Totals	10	13	27	14	2	Totals	7	10	21	10	5

Parkersburg......2 1 1 1 0 2 2 1 *—10
Allegheny........0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 6—7

Special Train to Conneaut Lake Saturday, May 28,

via Baltimore & Ohio and Bessemer & Lake Erie railroads, will leave Allegheny 2 p. m. Fare, $2.50 round trip. Tickets good returning on regular trains Monday and special trains leaving Conneaut Lake 7:00 o'clock Monday night.

Excellent opportunity to spend Sunday and Decoration day at this popular resort.

Tickets on sale at Baltimore & Ohio city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street, and station, Allegheny.

$12. To St. Louis and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Thursday, May 26.

Return limit seven days. Tickets good in coaches only on all regular trains and World's Fair Special.

Excursion to Ohio Pyle, Decoration Day, May 30, Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m. Fare $1.50 round trip.

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SIGNS WITH LONACONING TEAM

CATCHER DRAHAR.

He is the Fairbank backstop who has signed with Locaning, Md. He had been catching for Beaver College.

Among the Amateurs.

The Belmont A. C. defeated the Sea Side, 11 to 10.

The Underwood Typewriter baseball team defeated the Pittsburgh Steel Company, 8 to 4.

The Pastime A. C. will play the Herron Hill second team at Herron Hill park this evening.

The East End Athletics are without a game for May 28. Call up 983 Court and ask for Van Horn.

The Brown A. C. has no game for Decoration day. Address H. E. Fisher, B. & O. depot, Pittsburgh.

The McKees Rocks Y. M. C. A. has open dates. Address manager baseball, McKees Rocks Y. M. C. A.

Irwin would like to hear from a good team for Saturday afternoon, May 28. Address S. B. Kinnell, Irwin, Pa.

The Clover Athletic club would like to hear from 9 and 11-year-old teams. Call up Bell telephone J 868, Schenley.

The Virginia A. C. would like to hear from 9 to 11-year-old teams. Address Joe Brodia, 1204 Clark street, Pittsburgh.

Manager Grogan of the Verona Athletic club is requested to call up R. S. Ellis of the Victoria Athletic club. 2340 Court.

The Oakdale A. C. wants a game at home on May 28. Call Bell 'phone 15, Oakdale, or P. & A. 19, Oakdale, evenings.

The New Castle Athletics will play two games at home Decoration day with the Morningside Athletic club of Pittsburgh.

The Rankin A. C. wants games with all 16 and 17-year-old teams. Address J. H. Moyle, 16 Jackson street, Rankin.

The Kramers would like to arrange games with any 10 and 13-year-old teams. Address C. Thomas, 2024 Tustin street, city.

The Union Athletic club would like to hear from 8 and 9-year-old teams. Address Sheridan Murphy, 163 Forty-ninth street, city.

The Coraopolis Reserves would like to arrange games with all good 17 and 18-year-old teams. Address S. Bates, Coraopolis.

The Cottage club would like to arrange a game for Saturday. Call up Highland 1774-R, Bell telephone, or call at 7128 Bennett street.

The Wilkinsburg Athletics want a game for Saturday with any 16-year-old team. Address Roy Dean, 503 Trenton avenue, Wilkinsburg.

The Putnam Athletic club would like to arrange a game for Decoration day. Address Charles Conrad, 6458 Aurelia street, East End.

The Blue Jay Juniors would like to hear from all 6 and 7-year-old teams. Address Edward Dyer, 2129 Sarah street, South Side, city.

The Colonials of Allegheny would like to arrange games with all 17 and 18-year-old teams. Address A. Lang, 849 Concord street, Allegheny.

The Library A. C. would like to hear from any 8 and 9-year-old teams for Decoration day. Address John Senay, 340 Renova street, Glenwood.

The McDonald High School Juniors would like to arrange games with all 13 and 14-year-old teams having uniforms. Address box 341, McDonald.

The Librarys would like to hear from all 16 and 17-year-old teams for Decoration day. Address Carl Burns, 1117 N. Euclid avenue, East End.

Riverview A. C. would like to hear from all 15 and 16-year-old teams for Saturday and Sunday. Address John Curtin, 1320 River avenue, Esplen.

The Dinwiddie Reds would like to hear from all good 8 and 9-year-old teams. Address Charles M. Kornman, 215 Farmers Bank building, city.

On Saturday the Cokeville team will play the strong Pitcairn nine. On Decoration day Cokeville plays Kiski two games on the Cokeville grounds.

The West Homestead A. C. will play the New Haven-Connellsville club at New Haven tomorrow. Sutch and Hill will be the battery for W. H. A. C.

The Emerson A. A. would like to hear from any 13 or 14-year-old team for next Saturday. Address Murray Locklin, 334 South Highland avenue, East End.

The Robinson A. C., a 10 to 11-year-old team, would like to hear from some good pitcher. Address Fred Furrer, care McElvany & Beck, Post building.

The Lawrenceville Reserves would like to arrange two games for July 4 with some 14 to 15-year-old team. Address A. McAleese, 358 Forty-fourth street, city.

Any strong amateur team wishing a good outfielder for Decoration day or twilight games can be accommodated by calling 1436 Grant or Main, between 4 and 6 p. m.

The Oakmont Midgets would like to arrange a game with any 8 to 9-year-old uniformed team for Decoration day. Address Edward Foster, 411 Union station, city.

The Ben Avon Reserves are without a game for next Saturday and would like a game at home with any 13 or 14-year-old team. Address C. Edward Muhl, Ben Avon.

The Winterton A. C. would like to arrange games with 14 or 15-year-old teams for Saturdays and Decoration day. Address James A. Gribbin, 3509 Butler street, city.

Oakland will play the Elks this evening, the Wilkinsburg Independents on Thursday evening and Fair Haven on Saturday. All the games will be played at McKee park.

The West Etna Athletic club would like to arrange two games for Decoration day. Address I. A. Hartung, 638 Butler street, West Etna, or telephone 189 L, Sharpsburg.

The Elmore A. C. beat the Rosebuds, 18 to 14. The Elmores would like to hear from all 9 to 10-year-old teams for Decoration day. Address Frank Fackiner, 15 Mahon avenue, city.

The Brady Athletic club will play the Rose Athletic club of Knoxville on Saturday. All 8 and 9-year-old teams desiring games address John O'Hare, 2044 Gladstone street, Allegheny.

There will be a game at Recreation park, Allegheny, today at 5:30, when Manager Baughman lines up his Allegheny postoffice team against Mayor Wyman's City Hall team.

The Allegheny Lyceum will play the Haydon A. C. at the Colosseum this evening. The batteries will be: For Lyceum, Marshall or Crawford and Whiston or Fulton; for Haydon, Porter and Bridge.

The Wagners defeated the Moores 10 to 6. The feature was the catching of E. Augustine. Wagners would like to hear from all 9 and 10-year-old teams. Address William S. Hoffmann, Mt. Oliver, box 247.

The Duquesne Amateurs would like to arrange two games for May 30 on the Amateur grounds. Address J. E. Boyce, Rosenbaum Company, Fifth avenue and Market street, city.

The following Bellevue Independent players will please report tonight at 8 o'clock at Wheeler's, Grant avenue: Steele, Stackhouse, Malory, Burns, Fleming, Eidemiller, Ewer and Grier.

The Ford club would like to arrange a game for Saturday with some first-class out-of-town team having grounds; also for Decoration day. Address John Roberts, 44 Cliff street, city.

The Glenshaw Athletics would like to hear from some good 20-year-old team for Decoration day. G. L. Rector, care the McC. & T. Co., Forty-eighth street and Allegheny Valley railroad, city.

Bellevue wants a game away from home for Saturday. Call up Bell telephone 223 W. Bellevue, between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning or 5 and 6 o'clock this evening and ask for William Fleming.

The Sewickley High school team would be pleased to arrange games with school teams at home or abroad. The exact age average is 17 years. Address Lowell Nicols, 611 Beaver street, Sewickley.

The Sherman A. C. would like to arrange a game with the Arsenal A. C. Sherman would also like to secure playing dates with all 13 to 14-year-old teams. Address Amile Bauman, 4431 Calvin street, city.

The Shelby Steel Works team will meet Risher's H. L. A. C. team of Homestead today. All players are requested to meet at Hotel McKnight not later than 1:45 p. m. Laney and Craig or Fisher will be the battery.

The Colonials of Allegheny would like to know if the games with the Young Americans of Turtle Creek are good for Decoration day. Call up Andrew E. Lang, Bell telephone 9605 J Cedar, between 8 and 9 this evening.

The Manchester Juniors of last year have changed their name to the Manhattan Athletic association. They would like to hear from 15 to 16-year-old out-of-town teams. Address E. Roll, 1425 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny.

The Millvale Athletics play the Twilight A. C. May 26, then going to Banksville to play the team of that place Saturday. The Athletics desire games with good 15 or 16-year-old teams. Address C. E. Wise, 1301 Evergreen avenue, Millvale.

The Clarks will play the Brushton Athletic club a twilight game this evening on the Brushton grounds. Clarks would like to arrange a game with Economy-Ambridge team at Economy for July 11 or 18. Address McKenry, 339 Collins avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Corpus Christi Cadets would like to hear from all 9 or 10-year-old teams. C. C. C. has secured Leo Brown, pitcher of last year's Lemington A. C., which won the 8 and 9-year-old championship. For games address John Smith, 6708 Rowan avenue, East End, city.

The Glasser A. C. lineup is: C. Flanagan, catcher; P. Flanagan, pitcher; D. McEvoy, first; J. Dilla, short; C. Stiner, second; D. Gorman, third; W. Fisher, left; P. Reese, middle; M. Frank, right. All 7 to 8-year-old teams address Christopher Flanagan, Hays avenue, Mt. Oliver.

The P. A. C. of Turtle Creek would like to arrange games with all 13 to 14-year-old teams. The lineup: Ralph, catcher; Duffey and Brown, pitchers; Brown, short; Monney, first; Jenkner, second; Rector, third; Gillispie, left; Pickering, middle; Kelly, right. Address Harry Ralph, Turtle Creek.

The Baldwin Athletic club defeated the Washington Athletic club of Mt. Washington 15 to 8. The feature was the pitching of Henry, formerly of Pottstown, who struck out 10. The Baldwins would like to hear from some good out-of-town team for May 30. Address A. Teidman, Oak Station.

The Unions have organized, with the following players: Howard Wills, catcher and captain; Harper, pitcher; Granham, short; Palmer, first base; T. Wells, second base; Reinecke, third base; McNaughton, left field; Harper, middle field; Demmler, right field. They challenge all 11 to 12-year-old teams. Address W. J. Rumsey, 411 Union station, city.

Other Amateur Games.

At Stockdale—

Valley Stars.......1 0 0 3 5 0 0 0 *—9
Cullen A. C. ....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 4—5

Batteries—Buchanan and Woods; Hein and McGeary.

At Casino park—

West'house E. C. .2 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—3
Emerson ....0 1 4 2 3 0 0 2 0—12

Batteries—Hartze and Williams; Feldbaum and Leety.

On Hill Top grounds—

Brighton Stars....1 2 0 2 1 1 4 0 0—11
Bennett H. Tops..1 1 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—6

At West End—

R. H. E.
West End..........2 2 1 0 5 4 0 0 *—14 13 1
Welcome Council...1 0 0 0 0 8 1 3 0—8 6 2

Batteries—Goffe and Keefe; Fowler and Mallassee.

On Brady grounds—

R. H. E.
Brady ....2 0 0 0 0 3 0 3 2—10 18 6
Peerless ....0 2 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—5 10 10

Central League Games.

MARION, May 23.—Dayton game postponed; rain.

FT. WAYNE, IND., May 23.—Score:

R.H.E.
Ft. Wayne...1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 3 4
Evansville ..2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—3 9 5

Oberlin and Ostdiek; Miller and Cross.

GRAND RAPIDS, May 23.—Score:

R.H.E.
Gr. Rapids..2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—4 3 2
Wheeling ...1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—3 8 3

Cobean and Bufko; Purcell and Schriever.

SOUTH BEND, May 23.—Score:

R.H.E.
S. Bend.....0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 2—4 8 1
Terre Haute.0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—2 7 6

Moffit and Andrews; Smith and Street.

Many Shooters at the Traps.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—The Canonsburg Gun club at a shoot held today secured the largest number of entries of the season were. The scores, out of a possible 25 were: McPherson 16, George 11, Lewis 10, Walton 12, Purcell 17, Robinson 12, Morris 10, W. McNary 10, McClelland 13, Anthony 10, Foley 10, J. McNary 9, Williams 14, Kerr 11.

First Chance for McClelland.

Eddie Hanlon refused to make a match to meet Jack McClelland for 20 rounds at St. Louis on June 2. He says he will give the Pittsburgher the first chance after he meets McGovern in July. Manager Haughton wires to Mason from St. Louis that he will get some one to meet McClelland on June 2, as he is determined to use him on that date.

EAST LIBERTY IS BEATEN BY KISKI NINE, 7 TO 4

Bailey Gets Poor Support, While Seanor Is Hard to Find—McCracken Hits the Ball.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Shadyside	3	0	1000
Pittsburgh High School	2	1	.667
Kiski	1	3	.250
East Liberty	0	2	.000

SALTSBURG, PA., May 22.—The East Liberty Academy nine was beaten by Kiski this afternoon, 7 to 4. Bailey was not accorded the proper support, and the local preps secured six of their runs through errors. Seanor had a world of speed and was not touched up to any alarming extent. The best hitting for the visitors was done by Captain McCracken, who had two hits and a base on balls. B. Lytle hit for three bases and W. Lytle for two bases. Fulton was throwing in fine form and the East Liberty runners were unable to steal on him. McDade and Engle of East Liberty missed the train at Pittsburgh, and their absence was felt. The score:

E. L. A.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Kiski S. S.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
B.Lytle s.	1	1	3	3	1	Wilson s.	1	2	1	3	1
Moffett 3.	0	0	1	5	4	Kirk 3.	0	0	0	0	1
W.Lytle 1.	1	1	0	0	0	Phillips m.	1	2	3	0	0
M'Cr'k'n 1.	1	2	10	0	0	Parker 1.	3	2	12	0	0
Mullen m.	0	1	4	0	0	Fair 2.	1	2	3	0	0
Carr c.	0	1	2	0	2	Caughey l.	1	1	0	0	0
Reiber 2.	0	0	2	0	0	St.Clair r.	0	1	1	0	0
Duff r.	1	1	0	0	0	Fulton c.	0	1	7	4	1
Bailey p.	0	0	0	5	0	Seanor p.	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	4	7	24	13	7	Totals	7	11	27	10	4

E. L. Academy..0 0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0—4
Kiski S. S. ......2 0 0 0 3 2 0 0 *—7

Two-base hits—Parker 2, W. Lytle. Three-base hit—B. Lytle. Sacrifice hit—Carr. Hit by pitcher—Kirk. First base on balls—B. Lytle 2, McCracken, Bailey. Struck out—Moffet 2, W. Lytle, Mueller 2, Duff 2, Bailey, Fair. Passed balls—Carr, Fulton. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—F. D. St. Clair.

ALTOONA NOSED OUT.

Penn Park Beats the Mountaineers in Eight Innings.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Penn Park	2	0	1.000	Harrisburg	4	3	.571
Williamsport	6	6	.667	Altoona	3	5	.375
Wilmington	2	1	.667	Camden	2	10	.167
Lebanon	6	3	.667				

YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Altoona, after fairly winning the game from Penn Park, lost in the eighth inning. Score:

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Penn P'k.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Fisher 3.	1	1	2	2	0	Eustace 3.	1	3	0	2	0
Goshn'ur 2.	0	1	2	1	2	Bagley l.	1	2	10	1	0
Zalusky c.	1	1	3	2	0	Owens s.	1	1	6	3	0
Davis l.	1	3	3	0	0	Logan 2.	0	0	2	2	0
Drew 1.	0	1	10	0	0	Clay r.	1	1	2	1	1
Rising m.	0	1	3	0	0	J.Smith c.	1	0	3	1	1
Hedwig r.	1	1	0	0	0	Billet 1.	1	1	3	0	0
G.Smith s.	1	1	0	5	1	Foreman p.	1	1	0	3	0
Bennett p.	1	4	0	1	0	Ball m.	1	2	1	0	0
Totals	6	14	24	11	3	Totals	7	11	27	13	2

Altoona ....0 0 0 0 2 1 3 0 0—6
Penn Park..........0 1 0 1 0 1 0 4 *—7

Struck out—By Bennett 3, by Foreman 3. Two-base hits—Bennett, Drew, Ball, C. Smith, Zalusky, Eustace, Owens. Three-base hits—Foreman. Home run—Davis. Sacrifice hits—Owens, J. Smith, Billet. Wild pitches—Bennett 1. Stolen bases—Fisher, Eustace, Bagley. Passed ball—Zalusky. Left on bases—Altoona 5, Penn Park 10. Time of game—1:40. First base on balls—Off Bennett 3, off Foreman 1. Umpire—Rinn.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—Camden strengthened its hold on last place in the Tri-State league today by losing to Harrisburg by 6 to 5. The Jerseymen excelled in hitting, but couldn't connect when hits meant runs. The score:

R.H.E.
Harrisburg..2 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 1—6 9 1
Camden.......1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 2—5 11 4

Batteries—Agnew and Hartley; Remer and Lower.

At Lebanon—

R.H.E.
Williamsport...0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 3
Lebanon.........0 0 0 0 1 3 1 1 *—6 13 3

Batteries—Roth and Evans; Strecher and Sweeney. Umpire—Graham.

BLUFFITES SWAMPED.

Tom Wilson Has Easy Time Winning His Game for St. Vincent.

BEATTY, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh college team was beaten by St. Vincent college today, 13 to 2. The large score was somewhat of a surprise. The score:

St. Vin.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	P. College.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Treece 2.	0	1	6	1	0	Duffy l.	1	1	11	0	1
Gallick 1.	1	1	6	1	0	Keating 2.	0	0	4	2	1
Demura 3.	2	0	2	2	0	Murray c.	0	1	6	1	2
Pet'man s.	3	1	5	0	1	Daven l.	1	2	2	0	2
Barrett m.	3	4	1	0	0	Hoban m.	0	1	1	1	0
Hogan r.	0	1	1	0	0	Harrell s.	0	3	0	3	3
Follen l.	1	0	0	0	0	Hayes 3.	0	0	0	6	1
Bour c.	2	1	5	2	0	Dou'ty r.	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson p.	1	1	1	5	0	Collins p.	0	0	0	0	0
						Kummer p.	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	13	10	27	11	1	Totals	2	9	24	15	11

St. Vincents ......0 1 0 3 2 1 0 6 *—13
Pittsburgh Col....0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2

Two-base hits—Barrett, Peterman. Home run—Duffy. Sacrifice hits—Hogan, Wilson, Dougherty. Struck out—By Wilson, 5; by Collins, 4. Base on balls—Off Wilson, 3; off Collins, 1; off Kummer, 3. Hit by pitched ball—Hogan, Dzmura. Wild pitch—Collins 1. Stolen bases—Hogan, Follen, Peterman, Treese, Harrell, Murray. Double plays—St. Vincent, 1; Pittsburgh College, 2. Umpire—Wallers.

Johnstown Outclasses Indiana.

INDIANA, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—Johnstown had no trouble in defeating the Normals here today. Score:

Normal.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	J'h'stown.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Owens 2.	0	1	6	3	0	Voight 3.	3	2	3	5	0
Hosack m.	0	0	0	0	0	Conroy m.	0	2	0	0	0
M'Gregor 3.	1	0	2	2	1	West 1.	1	1	12	0	1
Brown c.	0	0	5	2	0	Sapp s.	1	1	0	3	1
Williams 1.	0	0	9	0	0	Morgan 2.	2	1	4	2	0
Cam'bell s.	0	0	2	3	2	J.Owens r.	2	2	0	0	0
Ham'ers 1.	0	2	8	1	3	Gainer l.	0	1	3	0	0
Means r.	1	0	1	0	0	Murphy c.	2	2	4	1	0
M'Cr'gt p.	0	0	2	2	0	Rhoades p.	1	0	0	1	0
Totals	2	4	26	13	6	Totals	12	10	26	12	2

Normal ....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2
Johnstown ....0 2 0 8 2 0 0 0—12

Struck out—By McCreight, 3; by Rhoades, 3. Base on balls—Off McCreight, 1; off Rhoades, 6. Hit by batted ball—Sapp, Brown. Two-base hit—West. Sacrifice hits—Rhoades, 1. Umpire—Daugherty.

Yale Defeats Georgetown.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., May 23.—(Special.)—Yale won from Georgetown in a game that was peculiar in that both teams made the same number of errors and base hits. In Yale's case the players were able to make capital of their opponents' blunders and get runs. Score:

R. H. E.
Yale ....2 0 2 0 0 0 2 1 *—7 7 5
Georget'n ....2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 5

Batteries—Jackson and Winslow; Seitz and Bart. Umpire—Caffrey.

Four Great Horses in Handicap.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—Hermis, McChesney, Irish Lad and Africander are sure starters in the Brooklyn handicap of next Thursday. A fast track is all that is required to bring the quartet of great horses above mentioned to the post.

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KOMMER'S GREAT WORK.

Niles Pitcher Shuts Out Ohio Works Without a Hit—Score, 2 to 0.

NILES, O., May 22.—(Special.)—The Ohio Works team of Youngstown was shut out without a hit by Bill Kommer this afternoon in a five-inning game. The young Allegheny southpaw has great control and during the playing period Niles was not in danger of being scored on. Niles got two runners over the plate on Thomas and won the first game of the season between these warm rivals. The score:

Niles ....1 0 0 1 0—2
Ohio Works ....0 0 0 0 0—0

Batteries—Kommer and Ortlieb; Thomas and Hanford.

FAMOUS HORSES SOLD.

Nancy Hanks Among Those Disposed of at Readville Sale.

READVILLE, MASS., May 23.—Many celebrated racing horses were on the list to be sold at auction, which opened today. The prominence of the horses to be disposed of led to marked interest in the occasion and a number of well-known horsemen from various parts of the country were present.

The chief consignments were those of the late J. Malcolm Forbes of Boston and of Thomas W. Lawson of Boston. The Forbes stock included the famous trotter Bingen, 2:08¼, for which $25,000 was recently refused; Vice Commodore, the 3-year-old son of Bnigen and Marion; the famous mare, Nancy Hanks, Marion, the 8-year-old daughter of Arion and Nancy Hanks, and Susie J. 2:06¼. Bingen was the first horse offered and was sold for $32,000 to A. R. Parker of Bedford, Mass.

Nancy Hanks, the mare which for years held the trotting championship of the world, when the record stood at 2:04, was sold for $4,000, to M. Johnson, mayor of Calais, Me. Mr. Johnson also purchased Lord Roberts, a bay colt foaled by Nancy Hanks, and sired by Arion. The price was $4,000.

Markala, a brown filly, another of Nancy Hanks' foals, was bought by E. T. Bedford of New York city for $3,800.

Palma, another Hanks colt, sired by Bingen, went to Thomas Dolphin of Clinton for $2,600. A. J. Welch of Hartford, Conn., bought Vice Commander, a bay colt, sired by Bingen and foaled by Narion, daughter of Nancy Hanks, for $6,900.

Albia, one of Bingen's bay fillies, foaled by Narion, went to A. H. Parker at $3,300.

GROVE CITY BLANKED.

Hughes Allows but Three Hits and W. & J. Wins, 4 to 0.

WASHINGTON, PA., May 23.—(Special.)—Hughes pitched magnificent ball here this afternoon and W. and J. shut out Grove City college, 4 to 0. Not a visiting player reached third base. Thomas twirled good ball for Grove City, but his support at times was ragged. The score:

W. & J.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	G. City.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Maldoon 2.	0	1	2	1	0	Sandels 1.	0	0	4	0	0
C.Eckles c.	0	1	8	1	0	Snedden s.	0	2	1	1	3
Welty 1.	1	1	12	0	0	Galb'th 3.	0	0	0	1	0
Rigely m.	1	0	1	0	1	Sharp 2.	0	0	2	1	1
S.Eckles r.	0	0	1	0	0	Bu'skey c.	0	0	12	1	0
Moore l.	1	1	1	0	0	Thomas p.	0	0	0	1	1
Nelson 3.	1	2	1	1	0	Morris m.	0	0	2	0	1
F'guson s.	0	1	1	0	0	Masson 1.	0	0	3	1	0
Hughes p.	0	0	0	7	0	Baldwin r.	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	27	10	2	Totals	0	3	24	6	6

W. and J. ....0 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—4
Grove City..........0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

First base on balls—Off Thomas 2, off Hughes 1. Stolen bases—Thomas, Morris. Struck out—By Thomas 11, by Hughes 6. Double plays—Welty unassisted; Muldoon and Welty, Sharp and Snedden. Wild pitch—Thomas 2. Attendance—500. Umpire—Duffey. Time—1:40.

FAMOUS HORSE DEAD.

Ormonde Was Killed in Order to Relieve His Suffering.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Ormonde, the world famous horse, is dead. He was killed at the Menlo park stock farm of W. O'D. MacDonough, to relieve great suffering from paralysis.

Ormonde, who was foaled in 1883, the son of Ben D'or-Lily Agnes, bred and owned by the duke of Westminster, won every race that he started in, and earned for his owner in stakes the sum of $142,325. He also had the distinction of winning all three of the great events of the British turf—2,000 guineas, the Derby and the St. Leger. He was eventually sold to his late owner for $150,000 for breeding purposes.

CROWE SIGNS BOWMAN.

Cy Dawson Putting Up Fine Game in Left at Niles.

NILES, O., May 22.—(Special.)—Manager Charlie Crowe of the Niles club has signed Pitcher Bill Bowman. Bowman was released by the Youngstown club Saturday night because of his slowness in getting into condition. Crowe will pitch him tomorrow against Youngstown at Youngstown.

Cy. Dawson, the Beltzhoover outfielder of Pittsburgh, is putting up a good game in left field for Niles. His work in today's game was a feature.

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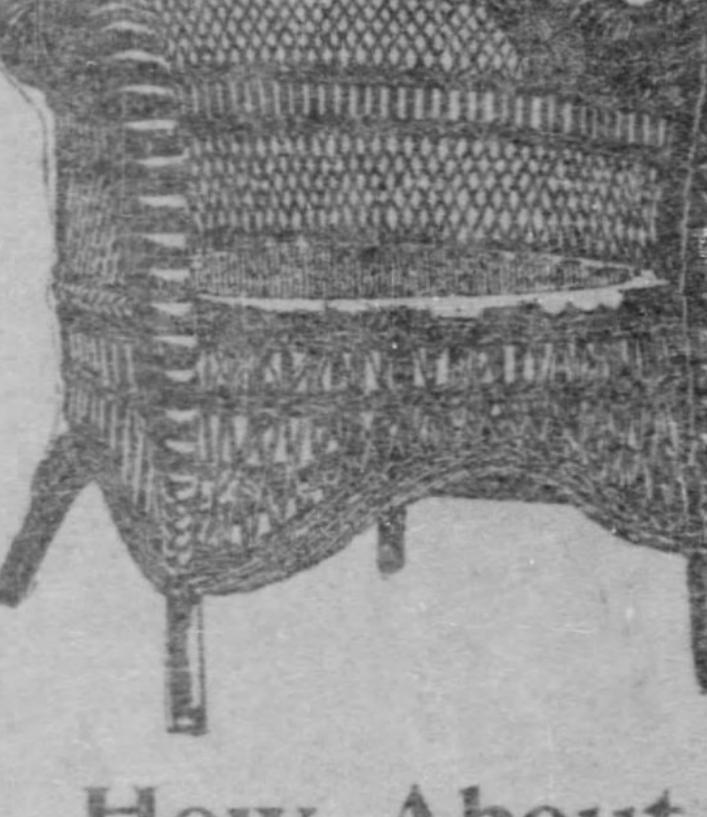

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DATE IS CHOSEN FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP PREP. MEET

Games Will Be Held June 3 at Friendship Park of High School.

The championship interscholastic field and track meet of Western Pennsylvania will be held at Friendship park under the auspices of the Pittsburgh High school, Friday, June 3.

The High school management yesterday sent invitations to Shadyside academy, Kiskiminitas Springs school, Allegheny Preparatory school, W. and J. academy, Rayen High school and Beaver Falls High school. Shadyside and Kiski are sure to compete.

W. and J. will hold its interscholastic meet this Saturday at Washington. High school will send a team of 15 men and Kiski and Shadyside will also have men compete. Shadyside, however, will not have its strongest teams down, as Price, Ahl and Williams will play in the baseball game with High school on the same day. Williams has been doing the broad jump and averaging 20 feet. These men, however, will be in the championship meet.

The day selected is satisfactory to all the schools, as it will be one day previous to the High school and Kiski game at Saltsburg, and the Shadyside-Cascadella school of Ithaca in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh High school and East Liberty academy meet this afternoon at Friendship park. There was a little difference as to where the game should be played, but the matter was settled by High school recognizing the East Liberty season tickets. Henning will pitch for High school today.

The Kiskiminetas third team would like to have games with Tarentum High school, Apollo High school or any other school team. Address L. W. Morrow, manager, Kiski school, Saltsburg.

"Red" Smith to Join Kent.

James "Red" Smith of Allegheny, formerly of the West Virginia university, who has been playing with the Turtle Creek Valley Athletics, will leave this week to play with Kent, O.

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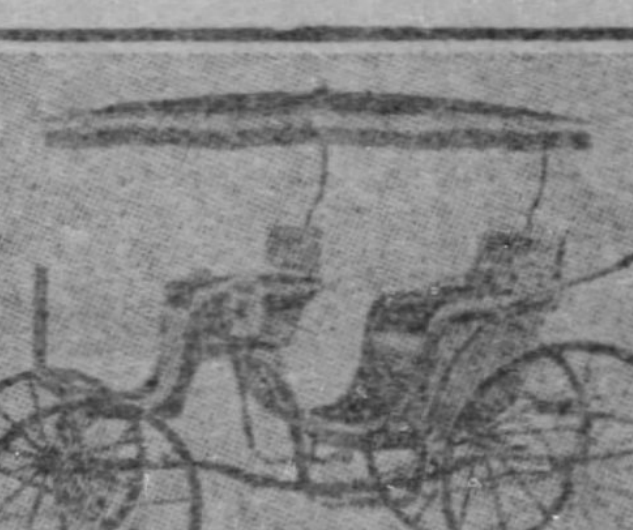

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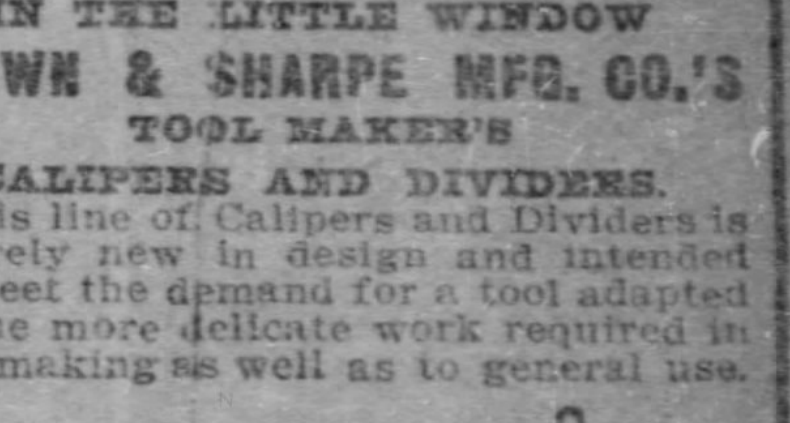

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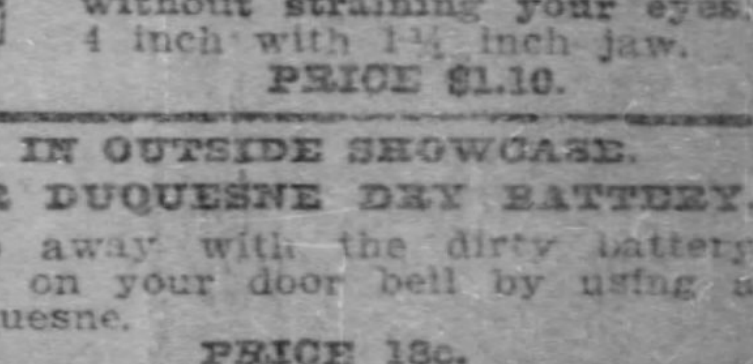

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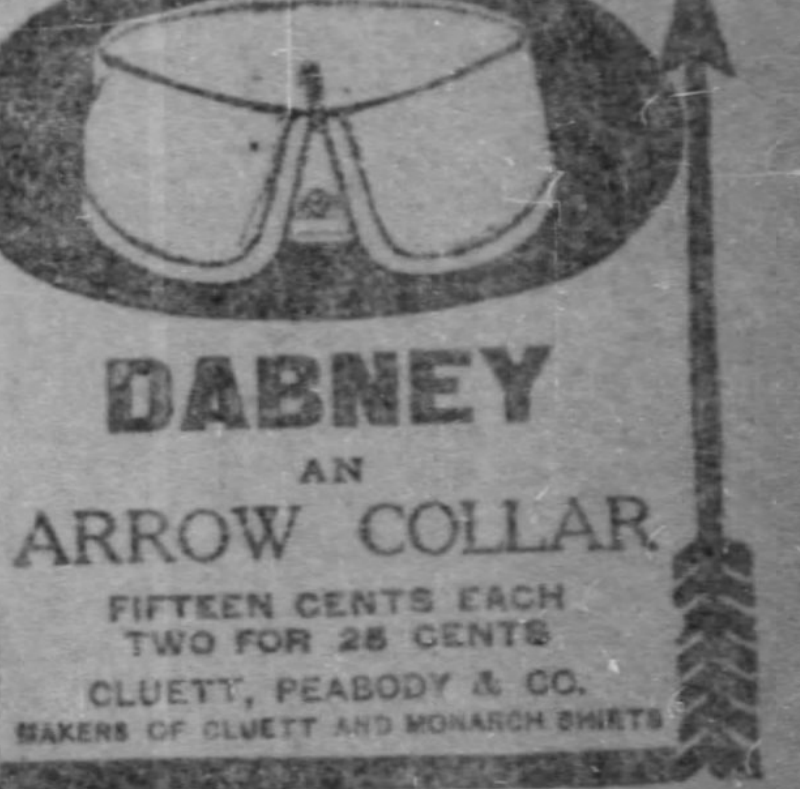

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PITTSBURGH DAY IN THE ASSEMBLY

The Rev. Dr. McClelland, Newly Elected Secretary, Addresses Presbyterian Delegates.

STRONG ACTION ON DIVORCE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 23.—The Presbyterian general assembly started off this morning full of union sentiment, bursting out in applause over the telegrams of congratulation from the Cumberland Presbyterians and the Southern Presbyterians. The Southern Presbyterians expressed "joy that the assembly at Buffalo had removed all reflections and aspersions on them," and declared their willingness to follow the lead of Providence as to closer relations. It is felt that the movement for union with the Cumberland Presbyterians has been chilled by postponing the debate until next Thursday.

The assembly started in this morning to rush routine business and clear the decks for the main action. This was preeminently "Pittsburgh day," as the Freedmen's board had its annual hearing. The Rev. Dr. Henry Collin Minton, an old Pittsburgher, made the report and the main address was made by the Rev. Dr. Henry Thorn McClelland, after his selection as secretary of the board. He was lately pastor of the Bellefield Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh, and captured the assembly with his oratory. The Rev. Dr. Joseph Painter Calhoun of Pittsburgh received many congratulations on his appointment as field secretary of the Evangelistic committee.

Rev. Dr. Jackson Aroused.

A lively row is brewing over the refusal of the committee of 15, appointed to raise $12,000,000 for the small colleges, to put on the list Henry Kendall college in the Indian territory and Sheldon Jackson college in Salt Lake, Utah. Dr. Jackson, United States commissioner of education for Alaska, and an ex-moderator of the general assembly, who recently endowed the Salt Lake college with $50,000, gave the following statement to the representative of The Gazette exclusively: "It is a great injustice that my college is not listed. Of the 32 colleges enrolled 12 of them have less property than we have and one college on the list has been dead seven years. Our Salt Lake City college has over $90,000 and a good number of students. Some mysterious influence is working systematically against us, and I propose to find out what it is."

The fight will be taken up by the presbytery of Washington city and thrown into the assembly, and many commissioners are standing by Dr. Jackson. The committee to raise the $12,000,000 will be discharged and it is intended to raise the money through a general secretary, who shall outrank the Rev. Dr. Ray, secretary of the board of aid for colleges. The board of education had its hearing this afternoon and the Rev. Dr. Hodge spoke.

Strong Action Against Divorce.

The debate on the report of the committee on marriage and divorce ran off and on all day, resulting in forbidding Presbyterian ministers to marry persons divorced for other than scriptural reasons. The committee on marriage and divorce is continued and instructed to cooperate with the representatives of other churches in endeavoring to obtain such ecclesiastical unity and such state and national legislation as may shield both church and state from existing and impending perils. The committee is working with committees of 13 other denominations, all of which form the interchurch conference on marriage and divorce, which recently issued an appeal to the Christian public.

A number of the commissioners took exception to a paragraph of the committee's recommendations advising ministers to refuse to unite in marriage any persons whose marriage is forbidden by the laws of other churches. This paragraph was finally stricken out by a vote of 262 to 244.

The report of the special committee on forms and services was then taken up. Dr. Van Dyke of Princeton is chairman of the committee which reported a form for morning service and a form for baptism of infants. The proposed new forms have not been viewed with favor by the conservatives, who think they savor of ritualism.

Not a New Movement.

Speaking on this subject, Dr. Van Dyke said that this report did not represent a new mvoement in the Presbyterian church. It was merely an attempt to do something which is required by actual conditions.

The church, he said, had from the beginning forms of service, and these in their original shape, or modified, had been continued in the large majority of Presbyterian churches.

Seventy-five per cent of 2,000 churches selected at random by the committee were already using some form of service with a responsive feature. Nine-tenths of the ministry desire a book of forms—not a prayer book, not a litany, not a ritual, but a "collection of forms proper and helpful for voluntary use in Presbyterian churches."

At the conclusion of Dr. Van Dyke's address a resolution was offered indorsing the work of the committee so far as it has progressed, and continuing the existence of the committee until its work shall be completed. The resolution was unanimously adopted. The committee will report to the next general assembly.

Columbus has withdrawn its application for the next assembly and Winona has been determined upon with the intention of making the Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman moderator. Columbus has been promised the assembly of 1905 with the understanding that the Rev. Dr. James D. Moffat of Washington and Jefferson college will then be elected moderator.

A new synod probably will be established by this assembly. It will be known as the synod of West Virginia. The matter came up today in the form of a motion by the Rev. Joseph Pollock of West Virginia. The matter was referred to a commitee which will report in a few days. The project has the indorsement of the Pennsylvania synod, to which the West Virginia presbyteries belong.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Albert Edwards	McKeesport
Martha Kirschke	McKeesport
Edward Cook	Carnegie
Sara Pendergrast	Carnegie
Adam J. Bauer	Allegheny
Mary Klug	Allegheny
Samuel Sefton	Pittsburgh
Katharine Breashear	Charleroi
Frank P. Kunkle	East Pittsburgh
Estella M. McGahey	Pitcairn
William Boehm	Pittsburgh
Emma Franke	Millvale
George Hilpert	Pittsburgh
Mary Snyder	Pittsburgh
Peter Scanlan	Pittsburgh
Julia McDonagh	Pittsburgh
Charles Jacob	Pittsburgh
Dora Herskovic	Pittsburgh
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Edith Whitlinger	Leechburg
Henry O. Inman	Caneltown
Esther Price	McDonald
Walter S. McClelland	Canonsburg
Mary Jones	Esplen
William F. Bergstrom	Cortland, N. Y.
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Emma B. Wilson	Floreffe
John Fickley	Pittsburgh
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Adda Libengood	Pittsburgh
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Daisy Walker	Pittsburgh
George Cyphers	Pittsburgh
Laura Snedeker	Pittsburgh
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DAY REFUSES TO ACCEPT HONOR

Head of Syracuse University Would Rather Teach Than Be a Bishop.

HELD MEMORIAL FOR M'KINLEY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LOS ANGELES, May 23.—At the request of James R. Day, chancellor of Syracuse university, the Methodist General conference today annulled his election as bishop by unanimous vote, because Dr. Day, in a statement to the conference asserted that he felt himself called to the work of a Christian educator rather than to that of a bishop. No one will be elected in place of Dr. Day at present. He was the last of eight bishops to be elected.

It was announced today that on Saturday, Dr. I. B. Scott had been elected additional missionary bishop to Africa and Dr. William Oldhem and Dr. John E. Robinson additional missionary bishops to Southern Asia. Dr. C. M. Harris this morning was elected to the newly-created bishopric of Japan and Korea. The newly elected domestic and missionary bishops will be consecrated on Thursday, May 26.

Four hours of today's session were devoted to special memorial service in memory of bishops who have died during the last quadriennium, and of William McKinley. Action of the conference on Saturday, in excluding the representatives of a Los Angeles newspaper from press privileges was rescinded on motion of Dr. Buckley, seconded by Justice C. B. Lore of Delaware.

When Bishop Foss, who was presiding, asked the conference to hear a statement from Bishop-elect Day, as a matter of personal privilege, the assembly appeared to divine that something out of the usual was about to happen, and immediately granted permission. He said:

> I wish to make it clear that there has been no coercion by the board of trustees of my university and that material consideration did not in any way enter into this matter. I am acting solely on the dictates of my conscience and have arrived at a conclusion only after two days' of earnest and prayerful consideration, during which time I have left my room only for my meals and did not seek the advice or counsel of any of my friends until I had fully made up my mind.
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> I am not influenced by material considerations. There are new factors in my problem. I must return to the work of Christian education. I do not feel myself called to take up the work of a bishop. I hereby tender my resignation of the office of bishop and ask the confidence of this general conference.

DESCENDANTS TO MEET.

Philips Family to Have a Memorial Reunion at Library, Pa.

Members of the Philips family will meet on Decoration day in the old church at Library, Pa., to honor their ancestors who fought as officers during the revolutionary war. They are the descendants of Joseph and Mary Philips who came to this country from Wales in 1755 and settled near Chester, Pa., where these early settlers are now buried. They had four sons and at the outbreak of the war the boys organized a company officered by themselves and served with Gen. Washington, who was their neighbor and friend. At the close of the war the eldest son, David, entered the ministry of the Baptist church and came west to Library, Washington county, where he became pastor of the old Peters Creek Baptist church, where he remained for 25 years.

Two years ago the first reunion of his descendants was held. It is expected to make this year a particularly impressive one. The Rev. O. H. Philips of Braddock, and the Rev. W. A. Philips of the Lincoln Avenue United Presbyterian church, are to be the principal speakers. Music will be a feature. The officers of the permanent organization are as follows: President, Dr. W. T. Philips, Library; vice president, R. L. Riggs, McKeesport; recording secretary, William E. Clark, Ingram; corresponding secretary, Prof. S. D. Everhart, Pittsburgh.

The committee of arrangements is: Speakers and publicity, Prof. S. D. Everhart, William E. Clark; music, Dr. F. J. Philips, Mrs. Mary E. Clark, J. S. Wilson, J. P. Philips; tables, J. R. Philips, Frank Philips, James H. Philips, C. F. Philips, Mrs. S. F. Boyer, Miss Blanche Philips, Miss Laura Wilson, Miss Lizzie Simmons, Mrs. Ella Long; reception committee, Rosetta Philips, Lottie Philips, Mamie Dewalt, J. Boyer Philips, Bessie Philips, Eva Galley, Della Higbee, Guy M. Philips.

CLAIRTON OFFICES TO BE FILLED SHORTLY

New Men Representing Carnegie Steel Expected to Take Hold of Absorbed Concern.

It is expected that changes in official positions, by which the old Clairton Steel Company will be maintained as an entity, will be made some time this week. The stock has been transferred to the United States Steel Corporation interests and that that concern is in charge.

Just what changes will be made is not yet settled, but it is expected that the full decisions will be reached after an inspection which is scheduled for the near future. In any case, it is considered practically certain that the Carnegie Steel Company will take over the plant and that it will continue in operation. The furnaces being of the most modern construction, are among the most economical in operation ever built.

It was rumored yesterday that the last of the three furnaces would be put in blast shortly. Two of the stacks are running now and are making good records.

NEW COLLEGE BUILDING.

Westminster Committees Discussed a $50,000 Improvement.

A conference of the endowment commission and building committee of Westminster college was held in the United Presbyterian building yesterday to act upon the project of erecting a new gymnasium building and Y. M. C. A. building on the college grounds. The opinion prevailed that the original estimate of $25,000 would not cover the cost of the contemplated improvements, and that $50,000 would probably be required to undertake the work. Final action was deferred to an adjourned meeting called for next Monday afternoon.

Salvation Army Held Rally.

A rally of the Pittsburgh division of the Salvation Army was held last evening in the army barracks, Forty-fourth and Butler streets. Col. Holz and staff of Cleveland delivered addresses, as did also Ensign Winkelman of Charleroi and Adjt. Trivett of Uniontown. Special music was provided.

The Queen and the Alexandra Trust.

The Times, London, says: The queen takes a deep interest in the Alexandra Trust Dining Rooms which are named after her, and yesterday she paid a surprise visit to the institution, as she did in 1900.

Sir Thomas Lipton was the only one who knew of the queen's intended visit, as she wished to see the dining rooms and diners under normal conditions. Her majesty, accompanied by Princess Victoria, and some attendants, drove in a plain carriage without escort, and were received at the main entrance by Sir Thomas Lipton. Of course the identity of the royal visitors soon became known and they were cheered with true East End heartiness.

They repaired to the manager's little room and dined, faring exactly as ordinary diners, the queen sitting at the head of the table. The royal party began with ox-tail soup, took roast lamb with mint sauce as a second course, had two vegetables and finished with plum pudding. The queen took apollinaris with her dinner, and the whole party afterward drank coffee out of "Alexandra" cups.

The queen and the princess, always well received, have rarely received in any part of London so vigorous and enthusiastic a send-off as that which marked the close of their kindly visit.

PITTSBURGH MEN ARE RE-ELECTED

Methodist Protestant Conference Again Honors Rev. Drs. Jennings and Wilson.

PRESIDENT HONORS DELEGATES

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Pending reports of committees, which were announced today, there was little business transacted by the Methodist Protestant conference. The two sessions held resulted in the acceptance of an invitation from the president to a White House reception Thursday afternoon, and the reelection of the present editors of the publications of the denomination.

The Rev. F. T. Tagg of Baltimore, president of the conference, was re-elected editor of the Methodist Protestant; the Rev. Dr. M. T. Jennings of Pittsburgh was re-elected editor of the Methodist Recorder, and the Rev. Dr. C. E. Wilbur of Pittsburgh was re-elected editor of the Sunday school publications of the denomination.

President Tagg announced the committees which are to give initial consideration to the legislative matters to come before the session. A special committee of 15 was authorized to deal with the question of church union.

The co-operation of the conference was asked in a movement for an expression from all Protestant denominations on the question of remarriage after divorce. This request is contained in a communication from the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church. It was referred to a committee on moral reform, appointed for its consideration.

Asserting that the study of the Bible in the family was a custom of the past, that its study in the Sunday school was perfunctory, and that it was used for no purpose in religious colleges, the Rev. Dr. J. E. Gilbert, national secretary of the Society of Religious Education in Bible Literature, secured the interest of the conference to the extent of the appointment of a special committee to consider the plan of the society.

An optimistic report was received from the board of home missions. The property of the board has increased during the past four years from $12,000 to $53,000.

PRESIDENT WILL ATTEND GROTON COMMENCEMENT

Leaves Washington for the Massachusetts School, Having Promised His Boys.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Although President Roosevelt has declined all invitations to deliver addresses in various parts of the country, he was not able to resist the importunities of his own boys who are attending school at Groton, Mass. Committees have come here by the score to urge the president to attend this function or that and have expatiated upon the historical importance of each, but to all of them, with one or two exceptions, he has replied that he cannot accept any invitations this summer. But when the boys, Theodore and Kermit, were home for the Easter holidays, they had the advantage of the ordinary invitation committee, and before they went back to their studies they had extracted from their father a promise that he would attend their commencement exercises.

As a result, the president left here at 5:35 this afternoon over the Pennsylvania for Groton, where he will arrive about 9 o'clock in the morning. He was accompanied by his sister-in-law, Miss Carow, and Secretary Loeb. The president will spend the day at the school. The commencement exercises take place in the morning, when President Roosevelt will make an address to the students, and at the close of the exercises an informal reception will be held. Leaving Groton at 5:50 in the afternoon the president will arrive in Washington Wednesday morning. On Sunday he goes to Gettysburg to deliver the Memorial day address.

L. W. STRAYER.

PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER TO ACT AS BRIDESMAID

Plans Now Complete for Whelen-Goelet Wedding on June 14.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whelen have decided to change the date of the marriage of their daughter to Mr. Goelet, from June 21 to June 14. The ceremony will be held at St. Mary's church, Wayne, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

There has been so much talk concerning who Miss Whelen would choose for bridesmaids, that it will be of interest to read the authentic list. Mrs. Craig Biddle, sister of Miss Whelen, is to be the matron of honor. The other eight bridesmaids are Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president; Miss Frances Griscom, Miss Adelaide Jordan, Miss Esther Harrison, Miss Pauline Biddle, Miss Edith Bruen, cousin of the bride-to-be, with Miss Marion Haven and Miss Nora Iselin of New York.

Mr. Goelet will have his cousin, Robert Walton Goelet, as best man, and for ushers he has chosen his cousin, Ogden Mills, William Whelen, his fiancee's brother, Arthur Iselin, Rogers Winthrop, Arthur Burden and Robert Gerry.

The color scheme of the wedding will be the pale pink of the June rose. The church and house will be decorated with these flowers and the bridesmaids will wear pink silk forcks with pink hats. Mr. Goelet will bring his ushers and his family, with its many connections, over from New York on a private car, in time for the ceremony at the church.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

ANNUAL SESSION OPEN STODAY

Pennsylvania Chapter, Eastern Star, to Begin Four-Day Session.

The tenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Pennsylvania, Order of the Eastern Star, will convene today at the Monongahela house and continue in session four days. Delegates are expected from all portions of the state.

Among the distinguished visitors will be Mrs. Mary J. Williams, grand matron, and Edwin T. Davis, grand patron. McKinley and Guyasuta chapters, local organizations, will be the hosts. While the order is at present independent of the Masonic order, membership is restricted to Masons, and the matter of recognizing the order as an auxiliary of the larger body is being entertained. The Order of the Eastern Star has a membership of 1,500 in this state, and has branches in all states.

Tourists Will Hold Lawn Fete.

At the annual meeting of the Tourists club yesterday, the members accepted the invitation extended by Miss Marion Gaston to hold a lawn fete on June 20 on the grounds surrounding her home. The affair will be given by the club members for their friends. A delightful day was spent in Riverview park yesterday. The annual election was held, Mrs. John Cowley being chosen president; Miss Irene McDermott, vice president; Mrs. John Fritchard, secretary; Mrs. William B. Eply, treasurer. A program committee, including Miss Irene McDermott, chairman, Mrs. A. A. McLachlan and Miss Mame Stoner was appointed. After supper there was an impromptu musicale, Miss Evelyn Day, Miss Ella ay, Miss Marion Haston, Ross Drum and William Hanna, contributing several unaccompanied vocal numbers. The club as a body has accepted the invitation to attend the piano and song recital given by one of the members, Miss Julia Doran, at the Twentieth Century club on Friday.

Posse Is After Robbers.

With the aid of the police of Monongahela, a posse of citizens are scouring the country about Monongahela in the hope of capturing three men who are wanted for the robbery of William H. Rebka, a merchant of Manown, a village near the county line, of $900 Saturday morning. The posse is armed with shotguns and revolvers, and it is believed the men, who are thought to be foreign miners, will be captured before they are able to get out of the district.

Will Hold Reception Today.

The annual reception of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Rescue Home for Women will be held today in the home, 217 Third avenue. Donations will be received and addressed delivered.

SOCIETY

ONE of the most interesting of the June weddings will be that of Miss Grace Aull, daughter of Maj. and Mrs. William Ferris Aull, and Paul Arthur Sorg of Middetown, O., on Wednesday, June 22. An uncle of the bride, the Rev. Charles Mitchell of Cleveland will perform the ceremony in the Christ Methodist Episcopal church, assisted by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Daniel Dorchester. The hour set for the wedding is 5 o'clock, and a dinner for the bridal party and the immediate relatives will follow at the home of the bride's parents in Fifth avenue. Maj. and Mrs. Aull returned from California last Tuesday. Mr. Sorg, who is a son of the late Hon. Paul J. Sorg of Middletown, spent Sunday and yesterday with the Aulls, leaving for his home last evening.

The engagement was announced at a luncheon, which Mrs. Aull gave shortly before the family left for the west early in the winter. The bride-elect was educated at the Thurston Preparatory school and was later graduated from Walnut Lane seminary. Mr. Sorg is a Yale man, with business interests in Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Lappe of Startford avenue issued invitations yesterday for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Carolyn Lappe, and Edward M. Power on Thursday evening, June 9. The Rev. John M. Prugh, pastor of the Grace Reformed church, will perform the ceremony at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, and the bridal party will include a younger sister, Miss Mary Lappe, as the maid of honor. The bridesmaids will be Miss Luella Munhall, Miss Jean Bunton and Miss Katherine Carnahan, while the best man will be a brother of the bridegroom, William S. Power. The ushers are Alexander Lappe, Lewis Huseman and Claude Griffin. After their wedding trip Mr. Power and his bride will make their home in the Westminster apartments in Aiken avenue.

Coming Wedding at Sewickley.

One of the handsomest weddings in the Sewickley valley this season will be that on June 4 of Miss Mary Leet Williams and Frank Faber Brooks, for which invitations have been issued by the bride's mother, Mrs. Halsey Williams of "Newington," at Shields. The wedding is to take place at 5 o'clock at the Shields Presbyterian church. The bride's uncle, Al Leet Wilson, will give her away, and her maid of honor will be her sister, Miss Susan Williams. The bridesmaids will be Miss Rebecca Jones of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Charles F. Holdship of Allegheny, Mrs. William P. Anderson of Cincinnati, Mrs. Augusta Brooks of Salem, O.; Miss Rebecca Page Knox of Washington, and Miss Helen Cook of California. Judson Brooks, Jr., will be his brother's best man, and the ushers will be Alexander Brooks, L. Halsey Williams, Walter McClintock and J. Bissell Speer of Pittsburgh, James Neale of Scranton, David T. Moore, Grosvenor Nicholas and Malcolm Chase of New York. There will be a large house party at "Newington" and several social affairs will be given for the bridal party. Mr. Brooks will give his bachelor dinner at the Duquesne club on the Thursday evening preceding the wedding, and the same evening Miss Williams will give a dinner for her bridesmaids. The following evening Mr. and Mrs. William P. Snyder will give a dinner for the bridal party at their home on Sewickley Heights, and on the wedding day Mrs. Brooks will give a buffet luncheon for the bridal party and all out-of-town guests at her home in Shields.

In Honor of Miss McKibbin.

A round of informal festivities is being given in honor of Miss Bessie McKibbin, daughter of Gen. Chambers McKibben of Washington, D. C., who is visiting Miss Esther Kendall Breed of Dithridge street. Miss McKibbin's visit will be a long one, as after June 1 she will be the guest of Col. and Mrs. Chambers McKibbin in Howe street for some time. Miss Breed's tea yesterday afternoon was given for Miss McKibben.

The guests were all friends of the visitor. The hostess and her guest of honor received together, assisted informally by Mrs. Chambers McKibbin and her young daughter, Miss Marion McKibbin, who poured tea.

Among the guests were Miss Emma Zug, Miss Brown, Miss Anna Brown, Miss Anna Chalfant, Mrs. James Stephenson, Mrs. William Stephenson, Mrs. Sylvester C. Sibley, Miss Mary Hall and Mrs. J. I. Johnston. Miss McKibbin was also the guest of honor at a box party given at the Nixon last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester C. Sibley of Rippey street, their guests including Miss McKibbin, who is a cousin of the host; Miss Breed, Miss Gladys Thompson and K. C. Link. Supper at the Nixon cafe followed. Mrs. Sibley will give a luncheon in honor of Miss McKibbin on Friday.

German Lutheran Bazar.

The Dr. Martin Luther Literary society of the First German Lutheran church, Sixth avenue, will give a bazar this evening in the lecture room of the church, under the management of the following committees:

General committee—Misses Alma Broecker and Della Niemann and Ed Gerberding.

Fancy work booth—Manager, Miss Ida Geilfuss; aids, Misses M. Schaffer, Alice Niemann, Pauline Schuster.

Domestic booth—Manager, Miss A. Reitz; aids, Misses J. Graman, Julia Mueller and R. Nordman.

Candy booth—Misses Nellie Schaffer, Frieda Broecker, Ida Niemann and L. Kaufman.

Pillow booth—Misses Ida Geilfuss, M. Schuster and G. Eversman.

Ice cream booth—H. Meixner and Misses Ida Jost, L. Geidel, L. Mueller, M. Kaufman, Mrs. Wm. Freyer, Mrs. W. Rahenkamp.

Lemonade booth—E. Succop, Mrs. A. Snyder, Mrs. A. Petcluck.

Fower booth—Miss Julia Succop, Miss M. Broecker.

Dogwood tree—Miss K. Kaufman, F. Lepant and Alma Mueller.

Mrs. Schmid Will Entertain.

Mrs. Albert Schmid of Havre, France, who arrived in the city on Sunday and is now at the Hotel Schenley, will give a dinner at the hotel this evening in honor of Miss Elizabeth McCook and her fiance, W. Edgar Reed, who is a brother of the hostess. Miss Rachael McMasters Miller's luncheon for the bridesmairs at the Schenley today will be the first of the numerous social affairs which are to precede the wedding of Miss McCook and Mr. Reed on Wednesday, June 1.

Pittsburghers at Bay Head.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Burgwin of Craft avenue, Oakland, will close their home on Thursday and leave for Bay Head, N. J., to open the cottage occupied last summer by Mr. and Mrs. Augustus P. Burgwin. Mr. and Mrs. John Henry King Burgwin of Coltart square, Oakland, will also summer at Bay Head, leaving Pittsburgh on June 5. They will have apartments at the Grenville. Mr. and Mrs. Augustus P. Burgwin will close their home in Craft avenue, and, with their children, will take one of the Homestead hotel cottages at Hot Springs, Va., for June, July and August. They will spend September and October in Bay Head. Miss Marjorie King of Chicago, who has been the guest of Miss Anne Burgwin, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Burgwin's daughter, leaves for her home today.

Dinner at the Golf Club.

Miss Martha Dalzell has invitations out for a small dinner this evening at the Pittsburgh Golf club at which covers will be laid for 12. Miss Dalzell and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dalzell, will spend the summer at Watch Hill, where they have taken a cottage. Miss Dalzell's marriage to John Newlin Trainer of Trainer, Pa., will be one of the interesting events of next November.

Luncheon for Mrs. Jenkinson.

Among the smaller affairs of the week at the Brighton Country club, Allegheny, was a luncheon given yesterday for Mrs. T. R. Jenkinson of New York city, who is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Pfahl of Sherman avenue, Allegheny. Among those present were Mrs. F. W. Kiefer, Miss James and Miss Kiefer of Bellevue; Mrs. Charles F. Stifel of Allegheny and others.

Dr. Hillis Will Lecture.

Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis will deliver a lecture on "The Tragedy of the Ten Talent Men" in Allegheny Carnegie Music hall tomorrow evening. The lecture will be given as a suplemnetary number to the Allegheny Star course for the benefit of the Ninth United Presbyterian church, Allegheny.

Early June Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Devine Siedle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Siedle of Rippey street, and Ad H. Behrenberg, also of the East End, will take place June 1. The ceremony will be quietly solemnized at the home of the bride, and will be attended by the close relatives only.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. Lawrence Litchfield has gone to Hulton where she will remain with her family throughout the summer.

The Jolly Bachelor Girls club will give a leap year dance in Braun's auditorium on Thursday evening.

Gilden R. Broadberry has issued invitations for his seventh and last studio recital on Saturday afternoon, May 28, at 3 o'clock.

AMONG THE CLUBS

Competitive Patriotic Recitations.

A specially interesting occasion yesterday was the competitive recitation of "The Star-Spangled Banner," for which the pupils of the Thurston Preparatory school have been preparing all winter. In honor of the occasion the school rooms were elaborately decorated with flags. Four prizes, gold pins in the form of a star surrounded by a laurel wreath, were offered by Mrs. Frank B. Nimick, chairman of the Star-Spangled Banner committee of the Colonial Dames in Pennsylvania. The death of Mrs. Nimick a few months ago tinged the exercises with a shade of sadness. The judges were Mrs. William T. Wallace, Mrs. William S. Foster, Mrs. William M. McKelvy and Mrs. Charles B. McLean, who awarded the pins to Miss Cora W. Thompson of the senior department; Miss Louise McCutcheon of the junior; Howe Nimick, a young son of the donor, of the intermediate, and George Lamb of the primary.

Mrs. Frank B. Nimick.

The recitations were so well done that it was with difficulty the judges could determine upon the indivual prize winners. Those who competed were:

Primary department—George Lamb, Josephine Weaver, William Nimick, Thomas Morrison, Kenneth Miller, Mary Coffin, Alan Jackman, Jane Jutte, Alice McChesney, Margaret Kingsburg.

Intermediate department—Howe Nimick, Dorothy Wolf, Louise Morrison, Lucinda Bradford, Katherine Lyon, Aaron French, Miriam Mathiot, Ethel Coster, Dwight McKelvy, Louise Crawford, Geraldine West, Regina Lee.

Junior department—Louise McCutcheon, Rebekah Botsford, Katherine Crawford, Beulah Martin, Clara Wishart, Lucile Morse, Louise Fair, Marguerite Botsford, Mabel Keith, Mary Fullman, Mary Hunter.

Senior department—Ceora Thompson, Edith Johnson, Kate Keith, Carrie Himmelrick, Myra Thornburg, Rhea Reineman.

A short address was made by Mrs. William T. Wallace, who was yesterday elected to succeed Mrs. Frank B. Nimick as chairman of the standing committee of Colonial Dames of Western Pennsylvania.

Last Meeting of the Colonial Dames.

The Colonial Dames met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William M. McKelvy, Fifth avenue and College street, East End. The principal business was the election of Mrs. William T. Wallace as chairman of the committee for Western Pennsylvania. The original organization, with headquarters in Philadeiphia, permits of no other formal organization of the Colonial Dames, but for convenience allows the dames in various districts to organize as a committee of the parent body. Mrs. Charles B. McLean was appointed a member of the relic committee for Allegheny county, each county being represented upon this committee, the purpose of which is the collection of colonial relics to be placed in the permanent exhibition in Washington, D. C. Two new members were received yesterday, Mrs. James Ross Mellon and Mrs. Franklin M. Gordon of Wilkinsburg. Mrs. Mellon has in her possession a rare collection of relics, and some of them may be secured for the exhibition in Washington.

Communications were read from Mrs. A. J. Cassatt, president of the Society of Colonial Dames, and from Mrs. Horace Brock, chairman of the state committee. They related largely to work the dames propose carrying on. The local women are preparing to erect a tablet to celebrate the bravery of the men who located upon the site of Pittsburgh when it was a wilderness.

A paper descriptive of the family, times and deeds of Col. George Morgan was read by Miss Julia Morgan Harding, who prepared it for a meeting of the Historical society of Washington county a few days ago. It presented a vast number of interesting historical facts concerning the town of Pittsburgh, the people who founded it and the gradual settlement of portions of Western Pennsylvania. No meetings will be held by the Colonial Dames during the summer, the next being in October.

Colloquium Has Annual Meeting.

Mrs. Wenman A. Lewis entertained the Colloquium club yesterday afternoon at her home in Amberson avenue, Shadyside. The club is arranging to give a military euchre in June for the benefit of the Soho public bath and washhouse, and yesterday a committee was appointed to make arrangements. The committee includes Mrs. Samuel L. Seymour, Mrs. John W. Pontefract, Mrs. Harry Lawrence, Miss Elizabeth Hanna, Miss Ella McIlvaine and Mrs. Howard Morton.

The program presented included a sketch of the work of the club during the past year, prepared and read by its president, Mrs. John Fremont Shafer. Mrs. Wenman A. Lewis read an original poem relating to the work of the club and its members. Mrs. E. E. Baker sang several songs and Mr. Harrison, organist of Christ church, was the pianist.

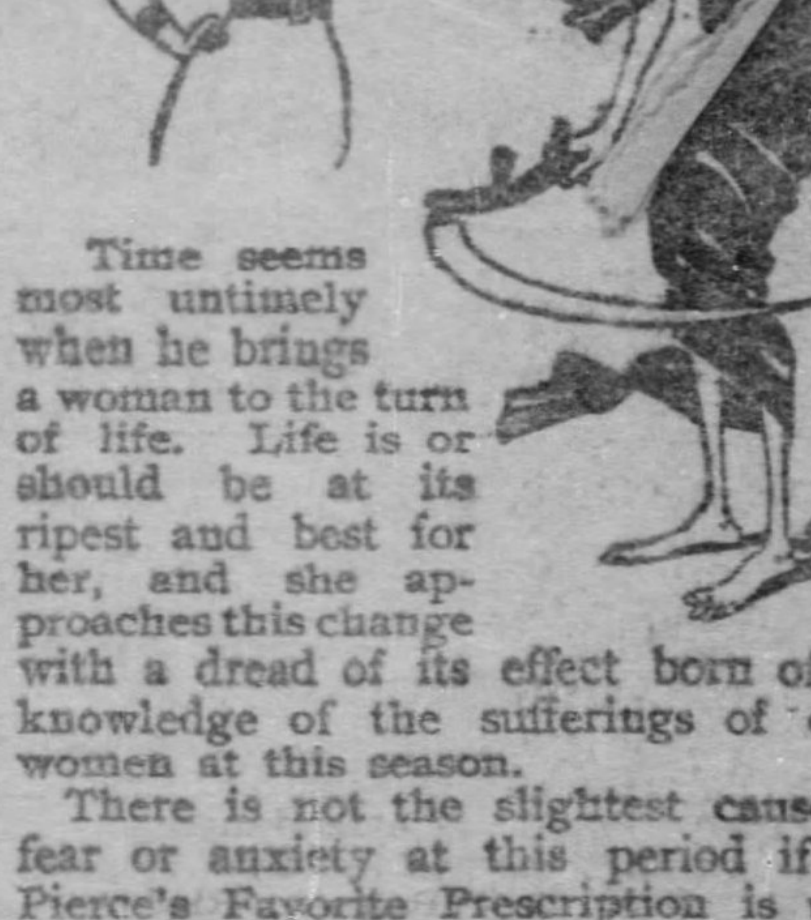
Officers for the new year were elected as follows: Mrs. Samuel L. Seymour, president; Mrs. R. G. Armstrong, vice president; Miss Grace Hamilton, recording secretary; Miss Edith Edeburn, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. John W. Pontefract, treasurer.

Association Picnic.

The managers of the East End Young Women's Christian association are arranging for a picnic in Highland park on Thursday, June 9, which will be given for the members of the association and their friends. The regular meeting of the board of managers was held yesterday in the association building in Collins avenue. An all-day sewing will be conducted on Wednesday, June 1. Last evening the closing meeting of the gymnastic classes was held and refreshments were served by the members of the gymnasium committee. The classes have an enrollment of 40.

Housewarming Postponed.

The housewarming reception and donation of the First Allegheny Day Nursery, which was to have been observed on Thursday, May 26, has been indefinitely postponed. Yesterday morning the house was quarantined, a case of diphtheria having developed. The board of managers of the nursery purchased the Marshall property, 3035 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, in March, the purchase price being $25,000, and arrangements had all been completed for the formal opening of the home and the housewarming this week.



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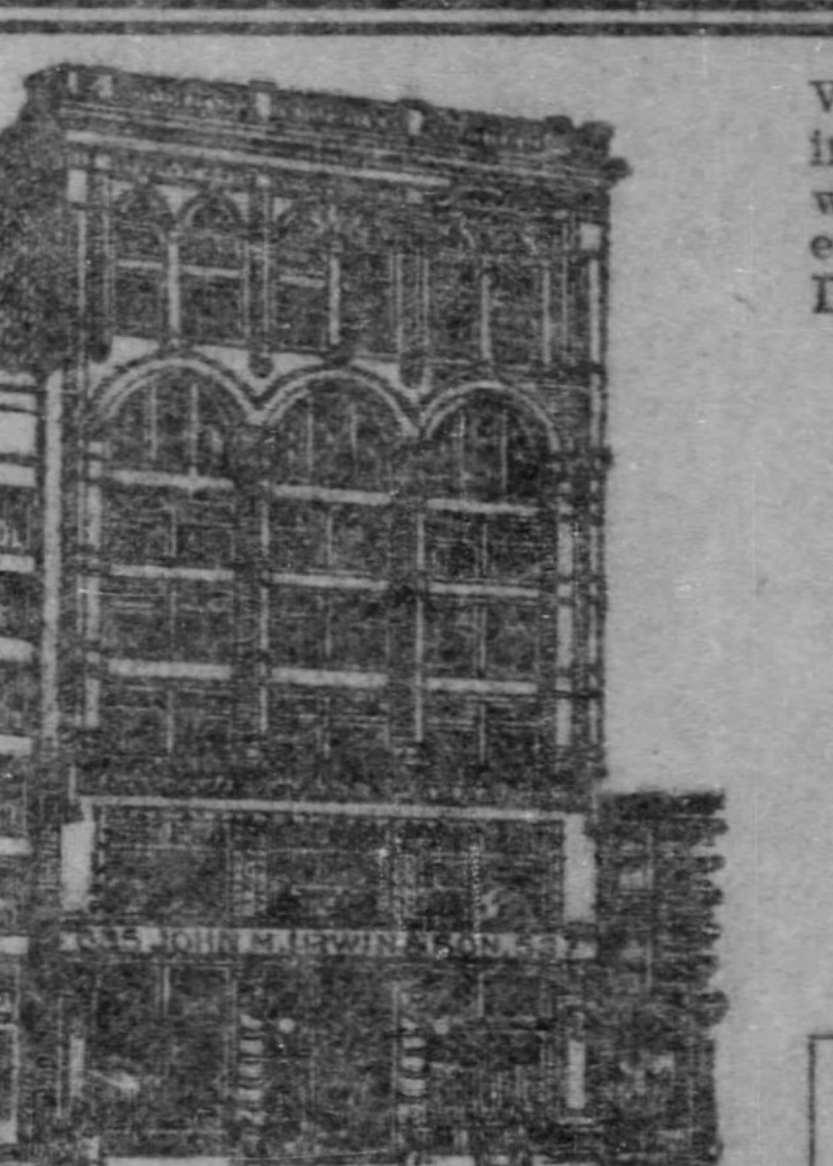

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Messrs. William C. and Cecil DeMille have discovered, or at least have utilized, fallow ground for comedy purposes. That the great American public loves to be humbugged will be remembered as one of the wise and sententious saws of the late P. T. Barnum. This principle reduced to a comedy satire and the application limited to the psuedo artistic circles of New York is the chief motif of a play written by the Messrs. DeMille and presented for the first times on the stage of the Grand opera house yesterday afternoon and evening. The idea is a distinctly new one and the authors have adapted cleverly. A young man is in love with a girl whose "artistic temperament," aided by a so-called art critic, who is also in love with her, has quite run away with her good sense, is made to understand that he stands very little chance unless he acquires knowledge of art. As this young man is simply a plain, ordinary, sensible sort of fellow, with money and common sense, but no art fads, it looks as though his case was a hopeless one. In despair he goes to three impecunious artists representing music, painting and sculpture, who have a studio in Washington Square, but who, because of an adverse criticism of their work by the above-named art critic, are on the verge of starvation. To these artists and a bright girl who is a model and as poor as they, the young man goes, desiring to be taught enough art of some kind within a mouth to make an impression upon his sweetheart and outdo his rival. The hopelessness of this plan is made plain to him, but the young model comes forward with a scheme that he assume the role of a genius and pretend to be the teacher of the three struggling artists. This palpable fraud is made to work out and soon the public is hailing the young man as a wonderful artist, while he is only allowing his name to be subscribed to the work of the men who are known as his pupils. He becomes famous, wins the consent of the girl he thought he loved and makes his three pupils rich through the sale of the works that the same art critic now calls "splendid examples of art." But Cupid has worked a transformation and the hero finds himself in love with the model instead of the girl with the artistic temperament. In a moment of nervousness over the fact that his real love is hidden behind a screen in the room and in an effort to keep her presence there from being known, he lets his now enraptured artistic sweetheart lead him into an engagement. Finally he determines to expose his fake and actually tries to do so in a highly farcical scene, but, urged on by the art critic, whose reputation is at stake, the people will not accept his confessions. It is only through a ruse of one of the three pupils, a German musician, that he is freed from his engagement and left to win the artists' model.

This is, briefly, the main incidents of a play that, as I have said, presents an original field for comedy or farce exploitation. I cannot say, however, that the young authors have made the best of the opportunity, though it is an exceedingly amusing venture and suceptible of even greater perfection when the several elements are more properly balanced. There is barely two hours of action and dialogue, and even at this there are thin places here and there. The play lacks its full form. The acts do not weld together coherently, though the story is direct enough. The structural defect is rather one of incompleteness and sketchiness in the blending of the comedy and farce elements. There is too much of the latter. At times a very admirable theme and one that is suceptible of pure, adroit comedy is pulled down to the level of burlesque, and not the most refined sort of burlesque, either. The dialogue is in the main clever. It is thoroughly saturated with modern idioms, which is not a fault, unless, as is the case sometimes, it falls into suggestiveness that is a shade indelicate. Action that might just as well have been kept in thorough accord with the spirit of subtle satire that the playwrights more than once suggest the power to write, is allowed to run into broad farce or a burlesque bid for the groundlings. I believe "The Genius" has the seed matter of a capital comedy, and judging from what the authors have already achieved in their first use of this, I believe when the proper etching and a more coherent blending of the parts are accomplished, giving less heed to the merely farcical and more subtlety to the really admirable satire, the comedy will be a worthy work for two young men who have inherited from a talented father a genius for stage authorship.

Mr. Richman plays the role of Jack Spencer, the young man who wants to be an artist to win a girl, but who is at heart just a common sense, manly American. I cannot believe that the role in its present shape was written for Mr. Richman. With all his versatility and charm as an actor, Mr. Richman struggles with broadly farcical scenes. In the comedy moments when the actor was brought into an atmosphere of pure comedy and polished sentiment, the part shone with a new brilliance. First night nervousness had something to do with the tendency to overreach the farcical scenes, but not all. That class of work does not fit the gifted young player, whose strongest art is displayed when the lines give distinction to his interpretation and do not require him to carry all the burden in unfamiliar paths. As Jack Spencer Mr. Richman is capital, but I believe Jack Spencer can be induced or coaxed to come more nearly into sympathy with the fixed gifts of the actor who has, for the present at any rate, undertaken to be his dramatic sponsor. My best wishes for this consummation are very sincere.

Mr. Richman was given excellent support, in one instance notable. Mr. William McVay, as a German musician, created a role almost perfect in its humor and truthfulness. It is one of those smooth, well rounded conceptions that bespeak the actor of fine attainments and came very near effecting an eclipse even in the star part. Miss Minna Phillips was delightfully naive and womanly as the young model with whom the hero falls in love. Miss Emma Dunn had a small part, that of a giggling schoolgirl, and played it well. Interest was centered in the appearance of Miss Margaret Brownlee for the first time as a professional in her home city. Miss Brownlee had but a small part, but did it with grace and skill. She has an admirable self-possession, has a fine voice under fine control, and kindly nature has equipped her with an abundance of physical charm. She was the recipient of many beautiful flowers. Miss Marion Barney, a new member of the company, played the role of the pseudo artistic girl capably, without special distinction. Indeed, with the exceptions I have noted, the company were hardly en rapport with the play, and, as a consequence, there was an impression of crudeness that broadened some of the scenes even more than will be the case when the players have come more harmoniously into sympathy with their several roles. Mr. Hoffman gave the comedy a very handsome setting, a fact to which both Mr. Richman and Mr. W. C. DeMille made reference in curtain speeches, which a pleased audience forced them to make, at the conclusion of the play. There were a number of theatrical people in attendance, including Mrs. DeMille, the mother of the young authors; Miss Janet Waldorf and several members of the Savage English Opera Company.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

Nixon—"Othello."

It is good to return to the melodic charm of Verdi after the recent madness of music realism. "Othello," the last of that long and brilliant series of Verdi operas, was presented by the Savage Opera Company at the Nixon theater last night. Sung in English, by American voices, the dramatic story lost nothing of significance. As a whole the performance expressed an immense possibility of the future, which may expand into a reality of the greatest music in the world, sung by great voices in a tongue comprehended by English-speaking races. It is true that while the Savage company never rises to overpowering excellence, it never sinks to mediocrity.

The story of the opera was so closely adapted from the Shakespearean tragedy that it is familiar to all. The music was everywhere melodious and beautiful. There was likewise much opportunity to display histrionic ability as well as vocal power. Of the cast, Joseph Sheehan sang Othello; Mr. Goff, Iago; Mr. Fulton, Cassio; Miss Newman, Emilia, and Miss Gertrude Rennyson, Desdemona. Chevalier N. B. Emanuel, a conductor who has had 30 years of experience at the principal opera houses of Europe, led the orchestra and in no uncertain style. He brought out with striking effect the few vigorous bars which served as overture, and throughout held his players well in hand, with an eye to the best artistic effect. The orchestra responded to the demands made upon it with surprising ability, and throughout their work was even in splendid ensemble, and thoroughly expressive. There was no over-abundance of brass even when the brass instruments were at their strength. The tone was mellow and sustaining, and to the orchestra belongs some of the credit for the excellent performance.

AUTHORS OF RICHMAN'S NEW PLAY

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Mr. Sheehan's portrayal of the jealous and passionate Moor was a surprise and pleasure. His voice was strong, dramatic and of fine quality, but to his acting there was a breadth of intelligence and a fine unconscious quality of dramatic force which was at once convincing and admirable. His voice showed especial beauty in the sad monologue in the third act, the duet with Desdemona in the first, and the furious declamatory duet with Iago in the second act.

Iago was played and sung by Mr. Goff with Mephistophelian cunning. The voice of Mr. Goff was quite equal to the part. He shared the artistic honors of the evening with Mr. Sheehan, and in his acting there was that same unconsciousness which marked Mr. Sheehan and him alone. Mr. Goff's deep bass was flexible, as shown by the runs of the florid little brindisi of the first act. His moment came, however, with the mock Credo, that malignant outburst which revealed the base soul of the man.

Gertrude Rennyson, a young Pennsylvania girl, no longer than three years from Paris, sang the part of Desdemona very well, though never rising to any sublime height. Her voice was strong and dramatic, with an appeal in every note. Miss Rennyson was certainly at her best with the simple, unaffected melody of the "Willow Song" and the "Ave Maria" which immediately followed it.

Of the other parts, Miss Newman was an amiable Emilia, and Mr. Fulton an adequate Cassio. Mr. Bennett, Mr. Jungman and Mr. Lawrence all acquitted themselves well, and there was the best, most natural and spirited stage fencing seen in grand opera. The chorus was well balanced and the voices all seemed fresh and true. In appearance the chorus was unusually attractive, although the trail of the pompadour was over the feminine portion, Venetians and Cypriots though they were portraying. The scene settings were impressive by their beauty and the storm scene of the first act was arranged realistically and well.

Avenue—Vaudeville.

Without having any very great or sensational novelty, the vaudeville bill at the Avenue this week is one to enjoy. Blind Tom is the headliner, and if he is not the genuine Georgia article there has been a singular case of resemblance perpetrated. So far as mannerisms, wonderful musical knowledge, with an absence of every other kind of knowledge, goes, Tom is the Tom of 25 years ago, the same Georgia marvel that created a sensation in this country and in Europe. There is no diminution in the facility with which he masters the keyboard by a mysterious instinct in the absence of all training, though he lacks some of the old whirlwind dash and enthusiasm that formerly marked his playing. Yesterday his selections ranged from imitations of a music box to a Liszt phantasy, and showed the same precision and skill that has made this simple Georgia darky the music marvel of a generation. The Hengler sisters made a fine impression with some dancing that is the very acme of poetic grace. These young ladies illustrate an art that has been wofully abused. They restore it to its proper place among the fine arts. Valerie Bergere & Co. present Grace Griswold's playlet, "Billee's First Love." This is quite the best thing Miss Bergere has in her repertoire, though now familiar. The actress does her best work in the simulation of madness. In her comedy Miss Bergere needs to stick more closely to her characterization. As it is, Billee's slovenly wife is Irish, Dutch, Hebrew and Bowery during the few moments of her existence. The Lavine Cimaron Trio in acrobatic comedy made a hit, and represent some of the best of this kind of work. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barry are as amusing as ever. Fredo and Dare do an act in which the musical novelties are excellent, but the comedy distinctly ancient. The same gentle reminder might be given Helen King Russell, several of whose jokes have the flavor of old age. Others who added to the interest of the bill were the Brothers Damm, Hale and Francis, Julius Tannen, always amusing; Mortimer Bassett, who is better in imitations than Harry Gilfoil, Master Glenn Lewis and Lavina, the comedy magician.

Duquesne—"The Fair Rebel."

The sight of tattered battleflags and the sound of martial music stirred the enthusiasm of a big audience at the Duquesne theater last night when Miss Eva Taylor, supported by a strong company organized from well-known local actors, appeared in the thrilling war drama, "The Fair Rebel." The play has been re-written and brought up to date, and Miss Taylor found it a good vehicle for reaching the hearts of a large and appreciative audience. When she appeared in the first act she was received by such a hearty demonstration of applause that she was not permitted to go on with her lines until she had consented to make a brief address to the audience, thanking it for the enthusiastic reception it had given. The play recalls the stirring campaigns of Virginia and has all the romance of that historic environment. Miss Taylor as Clairette Monteith, the Virginia girl, exaggerated the part just enough to make it dovetail well with the acting of the amateurs who were assigned to her support. The company did well and it is unfortunate that all the characters were not clothed in the proper costumes. The garb of the present-day national guard officer does not resemble that of the men who led the boys of '61 to the charge, and this anachronism was especially noticeable among Grand Army men who attended the performance. Miss Taylor had good support in Eugene Frazier, who essayed the heavy role, and in Guy Dailey, a Pittsburgh actor, who played a comparatively minor part with great credit. The company undertook the work with an enthusiasm which betokens success for the Grand Army post which is promoting the entertainment.

Bijou—"From Rags to Riches."

Warm weather yesterday did not interfere with the big attendance at the Bijou. When the title of the attraction is promising as "From Rags to Riches," patrons of melodrama would not let a little thing like uncomfortable weather intervene. This new popular price offering by Charles A. Taylor is one of the boldest examples of the blood-and-thunder play, and has an adventuress that outdoes the wildest dreams of Theodore Kremer. The action—and there's no end to it until the final curtain—takes place in New York, beginning in "Mother Murphy's coffee counter on the Bowery and shifting thence to Long Acre Square, the Waldorf-Astoria, then into Chinatown, and finally up the Hudson to a millionaire's villa. This is a long journey, but the action is swift and there is no opportunity for manifestations of impatience on the part of the people who sit out in front. There are some really good things in the piece and some of the members of the company exhibit genuine cleverness. Young Joseph Santley, whose name is exploited in big caps in the program is an actor who doubtless has a bright future before him if he rids himself of the entanglements of lurid melodrama.

Academy—The Thoroughbreds.

This week's show at the Academy should draw good crowds with such names on the bill as Polk and Tresk, the acrobats; Kennedy and Evans, the gay Irishmen, and the only Empire Comedy Four, who deliver more fun to the minute than any act of the kind that has been seen at the Academy all season. They are also fine singers, as well as comedians. This is the closing week at the Academy and the show is one that will make the patrons regret this fact, that is, if more of its kind could be engaged. The burlesques are helped along by the geunine wit of Tony Kennedy, the Irish comedian, who also appears in a good vaudeville sketch with his partner, Ted Evans. A chorus of extra good voices renders new songs and dances and they are ably led by the two burlesque favorites, Josie Flynn and Blanche Washburn. Other good performers are Russell and O'Neill, in a comedy sketch, and Mlle. La Toska, a clever contortionist.

Opera Repetoire.

Two more performances will be given at the Nixon of Verdi's "Othello," the opera being repeated at tomorrow's matinee and on Friday night. Tonight "Lohengrin" will be sung in English, with the orchestra under Elliott Schenck's baton. The overture will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and late comers will miss one of the greatest preludes ever written by the German master. The cast will be made up of singers who have not been heard in this city, including the dramatic soprano, Jean Lane Brooks. William A. Wagener, the Wagnerian tenor, will have the title role, and Remi Marsano, the Austrian baritone, will be the Telramund. Rita Newman, the mezzo-soprano, will be Ortrud. The role of the king will be sung by Francis J. Boyle, and the Herald's music will be sung by Robert Lawrence, the young California baritone.

"Carmen" is announced for Wednesday night, with Marion Ivell in the title role.

ASSEMBLIES AFFECT MINISTERS' SESSION

Attendence Light Yesterday. Secretary of Sunday Rest Congress Is in the City.

The Rev. Edward Thomson of San Antonio, Tex., secretary of the International Congress on Sunday Rest, which meets in St. Louis in October, addressed the Methodist Episcopal and Presbyterian ministerial meetings yesterday on the objects of the congress. He will remain here two weeks, address all the associations and occupy several pulpits. The organization urges fuller observance of the Sabbath by associations of trade, religious societies and the state.

The various church assemblies in session throughout the country had the effect of reducing the attendance at the local ministerial association sessions yesterday. The Rev. W. H. Decker of McKeesport addressed the Presbyterian ministers on "The Proportion of Men and Women in the Christian Church." He held the proportion to be nine women to five men, and concluded by stating "the men go everywhere but to church." The Rev. Dr. S. G. Young addressed a small meeting of Methodist Protestant ministers on "Textual, Topical and Expository Sermons." "Similarity and Difference Between the Civil Soldier and the Soldier of the Cross," was the topic of a paper read before the United Presbyterian association by the Rev. Dr. J. T. Taggers of East Liverpool. The Rev. D. F. Firos read a paper on "We and Others" before the Baptist ministerial association. The Rev. R. W. Woods of East Liberty addressed the Allegheny Lutheran ministerial association on "Personal Preparation for Practical Work in the Ministry."

PICKERING'S

Have to vacate their warehouse by June 20. The old home of storage that we have occupied for over 10 years must give way to other business. When Pickering's were notified that they would have to vacate by June 20 they got together and decided to build three more stories to their new building. Architect Ostenburger is now working on the plans. It will take six months to finish the building. In the meantime they are at loss for storage room. Over $50,000 worth of Furniture, Refrigerators, Baby Carriages, Queensware, Carpets, Stoves, etc., must be sold before June 20. In order to do so they have decided to cut 10, 20 and as high as 80 per cent on their goods, marking everything in plain figures. It will certainly be worth a person's while to take a look through the big store, Tenth and Penn avenue.

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COURT AUDITS BROWN ESTATE

Susan McLean Testified Her Sister Nattie Owned Certain Colonial Stock.

EXPERTS' FEES COME HIGH

Judge Hawkins, in orphans' court, yesterday had before him the audit of the account of Mrs. Ella M. Brown, executrix of the estate of the late City Recorder J. O. Brown. The claim of Mrs. Bessie Craft, of 146 West Seventy-ninth street, New York, for $1,500 was presented. Mrs. Sarah M. Miller, a sister of Mrs. Craft, testified she saw her sister give Mr. Brown $2,000 to invest. Of this $500 had been repaid. Mr. Brown had assured Mrs. Craft that she would surely get the principal back. Mrs. Craft's husband is Daniel B. Craft. They formerly lived in Pittsburgh where Mrs. Craft kept a boarding house, and in so doing saved this money.

Testimony was also taken as to the claim of Nattie McLean for an interest in Colonial Trust Company stock. Harry A. Johnston, assistant cashier of the Lincoln National bank, was handed six checks dated between April and December, 1902. He said the checks were filled out in Nattie McLean's handwriting and the indorsements were made by Brown. The word "Colonial" was written across each check and the witness thought it was written when the checks were drawn, but he was not positive. Elias Johns and Walter R. Black corroborated the evidence about the handwriting.

A. D. Rabb, secretary of the Colonial Trust Company, said Mr. Brown was alloted eight shares of stock on the merger with the City Trust Company and took 80 shares additional. He paid $350 for eight shares and $250 for 80 shares. The first payment of $2,000 was made on January 14, 1902 and four payments of $4,500 each, and subsequent dates in that year. The certificate was held by the company as collateral security for a loan of $35,400 made at different times.

Susan McLean testified that Brown and her sister talked of Colonial stock before the company was formed. Brown said he could get in on the "ground floor," and would buy some stock for Nattie McLean. Later when he was alloted 80 shares he said he had expected more but that Nattie McLean could have half of it. As the stock went up Brown would ask the witness's sister "what do you want to do with the stock now?" Nattie McLean wanted to sell at $400 insisted on selling at $500, and was much put out when Brown failed to sell at $950. He said it would go to $1,000. Most of the conversation she heard between Brown and her sister was at the table when Brown came home for luncheon. Brown said he would borrow money on the stock and her sister objected. Almost daily they would figure up how much they had made by the rise of the stock.

Mrs. Brown testified on some minor matters and the court took the papers.

In criminal court Dr. D. V. Thompson, of Coraopolis, was convicted of two misdemeanors, the charges being made against him by Fannie L. Smith of Avalon, and was acquitted of a third charge. Thompson admitted the lesser of the charges but denied the paternity of a child born to the Smith woman, and he also denied that he gave her medicine as was charged. He was recommended to the extreme mercy of the court.

Dr. R. V. Pitcairn, committee of the estate of Albert Pitcairn, a lunatic, and whose release from Dixmont last fall resulted after a bitter legal contest, yesterday filed an account and inventory. In the account the committee charges himself with $406,272 70, which includes the stock and securities enumerated in the inventory. The receipts of the estate inclusive of May 4, 1901, to April 21, 1904, were $168,476 65. The disbursements during the same period aggregate $164,710 65. The expenditures makes a long list, but show that the litigation came high.

The expert testimony was expensive, the account showing that Dr. Brown Ewing received $600 for six days' testimony, and that Dr. T. M. T. McKennan got $500 for five days of the same service. Under the head of expert testimony, Dr. Theodore Diller received $400; Dr. W. K. Walker $700, and Dr. H. A. Hutchison $550.

In the matter of J. R. Munford against Mrs. Margaret Sutter, common pleas court No. 2 has granted a rule on the plaintiff to show cause why a judgment of $39 79 entered on an alleged judgment note, should not be opened. In the petition of the defendant she set forth that in April, 1904, she received a demand from the Pittsburgh Commercial Exchange, expert collectors of debts, 339 Fifth avenue, demanding that she pay $36. She states that she called at the office and was told the claim was that of Dr. Munford. The conduct of the person who represented the exchange, she says, was such that it completely unnerved her. She broke down and wept, and was in a state of mind wholly unfit for business. She was then told she must pay $1 before she left the office, and was also give a book to sign. She denies that she ever gave a judgment note to Munford and she adds she has had no dealings whatever with him for seven years.

The American Exchange National bank of New York has entered suit against the Federal National bank of Pittsburgh to recover $4,687 49. The statement sets forth that in January, 1903, the Eastern Tube Company of Zanesville, made a note for $25,000, which was discounted by the plaintiff. The Tube company gave four warehouse receipts as collateral security to the plaintiff. Subsequently one of the receipts was returned to the Tube company which assigned in stead a number of accounts receivable. Among them was one against the Spokane Falls Gas Light Company for $4,687 49. This the plaintiff company assigned to the Tube company to act as the plaintiff's agent in collecting it. On May 5, 1903, the Eastern Tube Company deposited for collection only, with the Federal National bank, a draft for $6,544 42 on the gas light company. This amount which the plaintiff says was collected by the Federal National bank, included the amount due the plaintiff on the assignment and an additional amount due the tube company from the gas company. The statement avers the Federal bank refuses to pay the amount due the plaintiff.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

The Hibernian society of East Pittsburgh was granted a charter yesterday.

Charles L. Fitzhugh, executor under the will of George K. Shoenberger and others, have begun equity proceedings against George N. Todd and others, for the partition of Wilkins township property.

The several courts of Allegheny county yesterday adjourned at noon in observance of the death of the wife of Judge Kennedy of common pleas court No. 3. The judges attended the funeral during the afternoon.

A decree in divorce was made in the suit of Mary E. Woods against Edmund M. Woods. A decree was refused in the case of Ellen M. Eggers against John F. Eggers, the court deciding desertion had not been proven.

A new trial was refused by Judge Frazer in the suit of the receiver of the Globe Mutual Building and Loan association against the estate of Henry Schuette, deceased. The plaintiff was given a verdict of $1,200 and Judge Frazer will not set this aside.

The following executions were issued: M. E. Collins vs. Annie Brown, $709 50; Barbara Weithaus vs. Henry J. Horst, $237 50; S. Delp Sons vs. D. J. Demas, $681 21; George Silkmitter vs. Albert T. Kolb, $121 49; Jackson & Lang vs. Henry J. Horst, $525; John Horst vs. Henry J. Horst, $315; Henry J. Anderson vs. Henry J. Horst, $105.

Drs. John A. Tucker and William Byers have sued Amy H. DuPuy for $20,000. They had offices in the Hamilton building, which Mrs. Du Puy has turned into a hotel. The plaintiffs say their lease ran until April, 1905, that they could no longer carry on their business in this building and that they have been greatly damaged by the action of the defendant.

George A. Ormiston on behalf of his daughter, Agnes P. Ormiston, has entered suit against A. M. Swartz for $3,000 damages. It is alleged the defendant carelessly placed a rifle in the care of his 11-year-old son, Fred, and that while Agnes was assisting at the defendant's home, at 1410 Sandusky street, Allegheny, the boy accidentally shot her in the face.

Benjamin A. Laws has instituted a suit in equity against John P. Kleman, alleging that the plaintiff was a joint patentee of a "Cannon Roller Coaster," the patents of which were turned into a company organized by Kleman and others. Laws says he was to have one-fourth of the stock and this Kleman held in trust for him. Kleman, he says, refused to deliver the stock.

The commissioners report in the divorce suit of William Neeland against Sarah J. Neeland has been filed. The husband testified he was married on July 8, 1890, to his wife, but did not see her after that day until August 9, 1890, when he proposed that she come and live with him, and received a blow on the jaw as a result. She also used very abusive language in stating she would not live with him.

Ditch Caved in on Workmen.

While seven laborers were at work in a ditch on the property at 6822 Thomas street, East End, yesterday morning, the sides caved in and buried two of the men. Vincenso Bonana, an Italian of Winslow street, had his shoulder blade broken and was hurt internally and about the legs. He was taken to the East End hospital. None of the others were seriously hurt.

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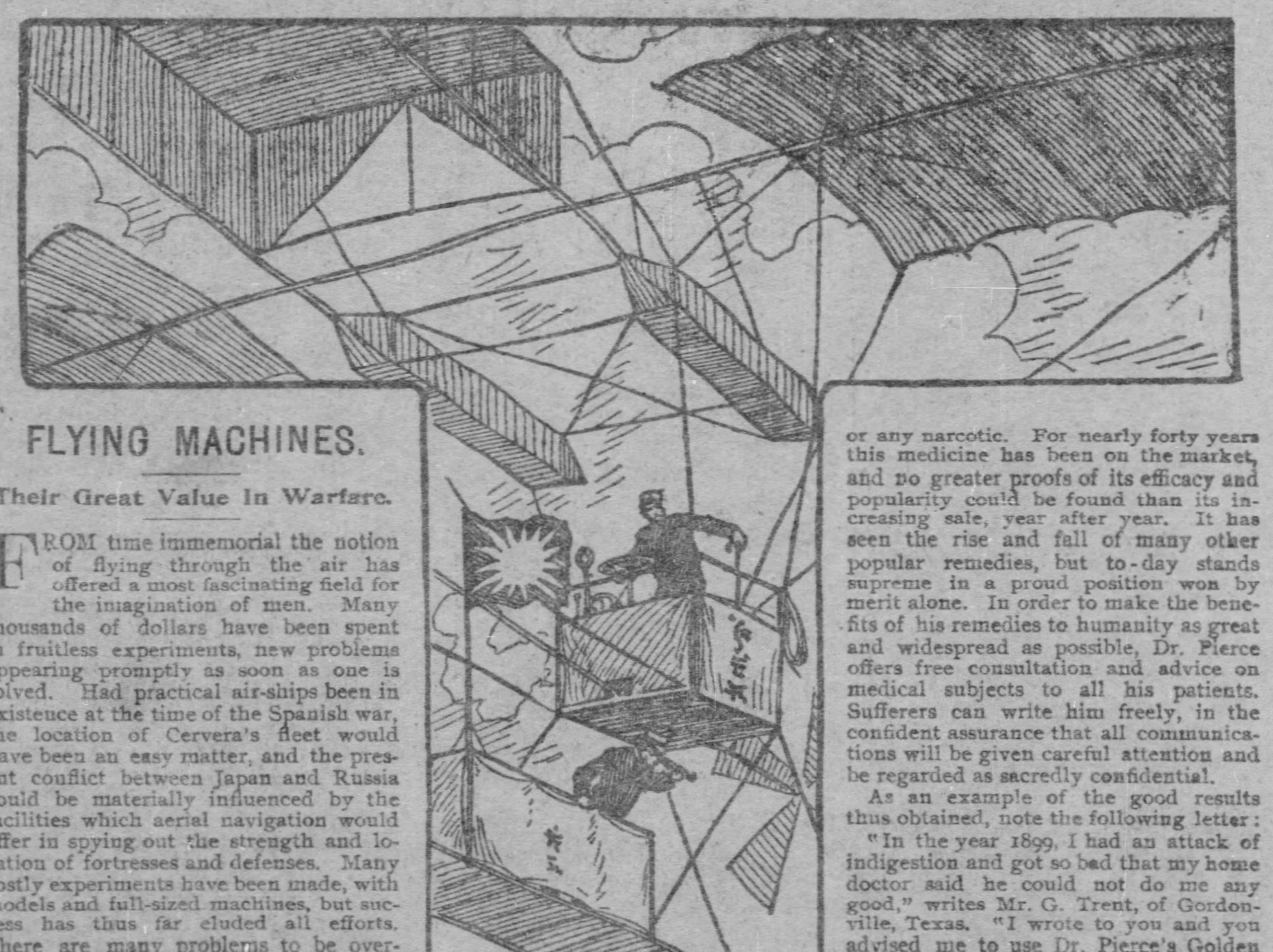

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Their Great Value in Warfare.

FROM time immemorial the notion of flying through the air has offered a most fascinating field for the imagination of men. Many thousands of dollars have been spent in fruitless experiments, new problems appearing promptly as soon as one is solved. Had practical air-ships been in existence at the time of the Spanish war, the location of Cervera's fleet would have been an easy matter, and the present conflict between Japan and Russia could be materially influenced by the facilities which aerial navigation would offer in spying out the strength and location of fortresses and defenses. Many costly experiments have been made, with models and full-sized machines, but success has thus far eluded all efforts. There are many problems to be overcome, the force of gravity, the strong atmospheric currents, the question of steering and control, and these must be solved one at a time. A few years ago it was thought that if a motor could be constructed which would give a full horse-power to a certain carefully estimated limit of weight, that the rest would be easy, but engines have been built well within this limit, and new difficulties have promptly arisen, notably the construction of a light frame strong enough to stand the strain of these powerful engines. Balloons are not practical as they offer too great a surface to the wind for the engines to overcome successfully. It is quite likely that if the mechanical problem were solved that flying would not be possible for mankind, owing to the peculiar conditions met with which affect human beings when they leave the earth's surface, the higher levels of the atmosphere being very cold, as well as of a lower pressure. One of the peculiar effects of altitude is to cause the blood to become thicker, there being more of the little corpuscles in a drop of blood than at the earth's level. One of the first signs of weakness in the body is that the blood becomes thin, giving the patient the peculiar pallor which sick persons have who are suffering from chronic disease. In some anæmic conditions, notably in young girls, the blood not only becomes thin and weak, but the individual cells lose their shape and become degenerated, appearing uneven and irregular instead of round. These changes are all readily recognized by the microscope in the hands of the skillful physician, and this is but one of the duties of the corps of skilled chemists and microscopists at the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., of which Dr. R. V. Pierce is the founder and director. Medical men now-a-days admit that nearly all the constitutional diseases and many acute conditions are caused directly by impure blood. As a specific tonic for the blood and liver there is no medicine ever made superior to Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Being a pure vegetable preparation, made up of nature's purest medicinal herbs, it strikes at once at the [illegible] of the trouble, assisting the blood to throw off the poisons that pollute and corrupt it, mildly stimulating the liver to better work and promptly relieving the distressing symptoms. It does not give a feeling of false security as do so many remedies which are composed for the most part of alcohol, which dries up the blood. Neither does it contain opium, morphine, cocaine or any narcotic. For nearly forty years this medicine has been on the market, and no greater proofs of its efficacy and popularity could be found than its increasing sale, year after year. It has seen the rise and fall of many other popular remedies, but to-day stands supreme in a proud position won by merit alone. In order to make the benefits of his remedies to humanity as great and widespread as possible, Dr. Pierce offers free consultation and advice on medical subjects to all his patients. Sufferers can write him freely, in the confident assurance that all communications will be given careful attention and be regarded as sacredly confidential.

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EXCHANGE DEAL OF $60,000

Economy will get another $25,000 business block as the result of a sale of frontage in Merchant street yesterday. Through the Real Estate Trust Company a lot 70x100 feet situated near the old Economy hotel was sold to a Pittsburgh business man for $12,500. Plans will be drawn at once for a three-story brick and stone store and office building. One of the old dwellings of the Economites stands on the front of the lot and this will be moved to the rear to leave the entire frontage for the new building. This is the third large building project announced on that part of Merchant street of four squares, lying between Fourteenth street and the Orchard allotment which will be marketed Saturday. William F. Reis will spend $5,000 remodeling the old Economy hotel at Merchant and Fourteenth streets. Directly across the street the First National bank of Economy has plans for a $25,000 building, and the Real Estate Trust Company has completed an office building adjoining the bank site. From present indications Economy will build up fully as rapidly as Ambridge did. One of the most notable instances of good investments made in the latter town was the purchase by Henry A. Davis of Sewickley of a block of frontage in Merchant street for $40 a foot which he improved with two business blocks and three good residences. The investment now nets him five per cent on the actual cost of his buildings, plus the value of his ground figured at $500 a foot. The knowledge that has become current of late among well-posted men that both Ambride and Economy are backed by tremendous business interests, which will shortly make known their detailed plants, is drawing the best class of investors.

Traded for Residence.

An exchange deal totaling $60,000 has been made between J. M. Loose of the old firm of Thomas & Loose, Swissvale realty operators, and W. R. Patterson, the contractor. Mr. Loose disposes of about 425 feet of vacant frontage in Milligan, Rosslyn and Braddock avenues, Swissvale, all of it having a depth of 100 feet or more. This property was put into the deal at $30,000. In exchange Mr. Loose received a 14-room buff brick house on lot 75x140 feet at the southwest corner of Liberty and Winebiddle avenues, which was also valued at $30,000.

Through the office of E. J. Baldwin of Homestead, B. J. Stenger of that place has purchased from Charles J. Ninehauser a block of vacant frontage in Beechwood boulevard near Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $20,000. The property is nearly opposite the small Hazelwood cemetery and is held at about $80 a front foot.

Another Homestead deal reported yesterday was the sale by E. O. Boyd to E. J. Hough of a 12-room, reception hall brick house on lot 30x120 feet in Tenth avenue near Amity avenue, for $10,000.

The Iron City Laundry Company has purchased from Benjamin Wolk and others an irregular-shaped plot facing 150 feet in Dinwiddie street, 137 feet in Rose street and 36.5 feet in Devilliers street with an extreme depth of 185 feet for $28,000. The lot is now improved with an old one-story brick building which will be replaced by a modern laundry plant.

Weather Stimulates Building.

Architects are pushing work as the weather encourages building and many good contracts have been awarded within the last few days as follows: Architect J. A. Long to B. F. Brown for a three-story brick hotel for Philip Braun in Penn avenue near Butler street to cost $12,000. Architects Nirdlinger & Simpson to Brolda & Baumgartner, a three-story brick store building for Zorah Barach in Wylie avenue near Center avenue for $8,000; Architect Charles Bickel to T. Francis & Company, a brick store building for Louis Joseph at Pearl and Liberty streets to cost $20,000; Architect S. A. Hall to the Iron City Construction Company, two brick houses for Henry and Louis Reiber in Thomas street for $24,000; Architect Thomas H. Scott to Kerr & Fox, six flat buildings and eight houses for the Denny estate in Webster avenue for $30,000; Architect J. A. Miller to W. F. Panke, a two-story brick addition for the Homewood Methodist Episcopal church for $15,000.

Bids will be taken the latter part of this week by Architect F. J. Osterling on the erection of a three-story granite addition to the Allegheny county jail to cost $200,000.

Architect J. Lewis Beatty has plans for a two-story granite chapel, shelter and house and gateway for the Uniondale Cemetery Company in West End avenue.

Deny There Was Sale.

The Merchants Savings and Trust Company, through its real estate manager, H. M. rman, denies the sale of the properties at 3 Tunnel street for $50,000 which was reported last week.

The plan of building lots at Sewickley station, Maple Grove, just placed on the market, is demonstrating the claim that the village is a good field for the man who can secure property to sell. It includes both the J. Sharpe McDonald and T. H. Nevin estates, running back to the Ohio, which it overlooks from a bank 90 feet high. Already several purchasers are getting ready to build.

East Liverpool: Dennison & Norris sold for Jacob Neff to Mrs. Helen M. George of East Liverpool, O., No. 7020 Tacoma street, two apartments on lot 28x132 feet, for $7,300.

Ingleside: The Union Realty Company sold for William Watson Smith to Charles Piper lots 80 and 81 facing 48 feet in Graham street, Ingleside, $1,700.

Oakland: The Citizens Trust Company of Canonsburg has bought from James McLain at sheriff's sale, 60x100 feet at the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Solar street, Fourteenth ward, for $6,900.

Lawn street: Ellen Burns sold to Sadie H. Davies an improved lot, 24x110 feet, on the south side of Lawn street, Fourteenth ward, for $3,800.

Bigham street: Kirk Q. Bigham sold to Emma F. Gwynn 48x120 feet on the west side of Bigham street, Thirty-second ward, for $2,060.

Adelaide street: John G. Zahringer sold to Andrew A. Bream 30x100 feet on the north side of Adelaide street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,500.

Race street: The Pittsburgh Trust Company sold to Elijah H. Hulam and Elmer E. Cruzan 25x feet on the north side of Race street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $1,150.

Building Permits Granted.

Pittsburgh building permits were issued yesterday as follows: T. C. Murdoch, for a three-story brick structure, to be occupied as storeroom, offices and dwelling, at Frankstown avenue and Lambert street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $9,700; to William Belte for two two-story brick veneered dwellings in Ben Venue avenue, Twentieth ward, to cost $7,450; to G. G. O'Brien for a three-story brick storeroom and dwelling in Penn avenue, Nineteenth ward, to cost $7,000; to Ira W. Smith for two two-story brick veneered apartment houses in Bennett street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $5,250 each; to Walter H. Sutch for a two-story brick veneered dwelling in Beechwood boulevard, Twenty-second ward, to cost $4,500; to John Shey for a three-story brick addition to dwelling in Forty-fourth street, Seventeenth ward, to cost $1,000.

Transfers Recorded.

McManus J C to L W McManus, April 12, 14th wd, Pgh, 50x80, Henry st...	$ 4,100
Wright W O to Cath Stack, April 1, 20th wd, Pgh, 39x93, Coral st........	5,500
Ward Louise to F W Hanitch, April 30, 11th wd, Pgh, 48x97, Devilliers st.	3,500
Tate Thomas to Wm Jenkinson, March 11, Bellevue, 53x105, Sybilla st........	5,000
Reitz Isidore to Mary J Marion, May 14, 11th wd, All'y, 24x110, Ashton st.......	5,100
Koegler W F to Geo Koegler, April 27, 25th wd, Pgh, 40x120, Jane st........	7,000
Zoric M to Westinghouse Airbrake Band Co, April 7, Wilmerding, 21x88, Edward st..........	1,500
Johnson C J to A T Boris, April 7, N Braddock, 24x110, Stokes ave........	3,000
Caughey Wm C to Cora R Walker, May 9, Bellevue, 42x125, Harrison ave........	1,400
Same to C J A Gies, May 9, Bellevue, 42x125, Harrison ave........	1,400
Loose J M to F M Weston, May 12, Swissvale, 25x105, Hawthorne ave.....	4,500
Hay J Walter to F R Abbe, March 5, 35th wd, Pgh, 3 lots, Shaler place.....	150
Gibson J S to Chas E Lee, April 15, Scott twp, 74x110, Grandview ave......	2,300
Hager M H to F Leonhard, April 14, 19th wd, Pgh, 25x140, Colombo st......	2,150
Case Walter to H M Steen, Oct 18, Glassport, 25x110, Erie ave..........	2,850
Daily A D to Wm H Boggs, Feb 27, 23d wd, Pgh, 37x125, Johnston ave.....	1,050
Bush Priscilla to J A Keys, May 19, Swissvale, 25x90, Madison ave........	3,500
McBride E F to F C Campbell, March 2, 22d wd, Pgh, 56x120, Braddock ave.....	10,500
Powell Chas to Thos P Moore, April 20, Glassport, 25x120, Indiana ave.......	1,800
Oates Jno Jr to J A M Saxton, May 14, 22d wd, Pgh, 23x60, Lloyd st........	3,950
Morgan Wm B to C E Heinle, May 2, Harrison twp, 6 lots, Natrona Impt Co plan..........	1,500
Howick Wm J to Geo W McCurdy, April 11, Stowe twp, 75x140, Baird st.....	1,800
Welch Sarah A to A S Gangloff, May 21, Glenfield, 32x124, Center st.......	2,200
Kerr Robt J to Cath Graves, April 25, 19th wd, Pgh, 40x130, Sheridan ave..	4,000
Jackson Isaac to E B Richardson, May 18, Sewickley, 42x170, Beaver st.......	2,762
in City Impt Co to Ira S Finch, July 23d wd, Pgh, 19x70, Blair st......	2,000
W C to Jno M Kirk, April 2 polis, 25x150, 5th ave.......	3,700
ott Andrew to Rosa Brown, May 19, Duquesne, 25x120, Linden st.......	3,000
Metcalfe Wm to Geo Metcalfe, March 31, 20th wd, Pgh, 25x100, Wash ave.......	1,400
rnaki Joseph to L Maranowski, May 13th wd, Pgh, 2 x120, Brereton ave.	4,375
Guarantee L & Invest Co to Barbara Bauer, May 4, 10th wd, All'y, 20x100, Hawkins ave........	1,360
All'y-Bell Land Co to S G Rovnianek, Oct 10, Ross twp, 52x110, Mt Vernon ave........	1,300
Theobald Wm L to A M Klein, May 5, Sewickley twp, 15 acres........	6,000
Cooke O R to Chas J Farrar, March 26, Crafton, 40x100, Emerson ave.........	1,000
Hall Jas F to Chas H Mitchell, April 21, Chartiers twp, 50x150, Grace ave.	1,000
Morgan Sarah E to V Maxwell, May 11, 20th wd, Pgh, 20x60, S 17th st, ½ interest	1,400

INSPECTING PARTIES LEAVE FOR TRIP THROUGH OIL FIELDS

The annual inspection party of the Carter Oil Company, the Ohio Oil Company, South Penn Oil Company, Southwest and Eureka Pipelines, the Hope Natural Gas Company, and other connecting companies of the same interest, left yesterday morning for the West Virginia and Ohio fields. The party consisted of J. D. Archbold, J. A. Moffett and F. O. Barstow of New York; Col. J. J. Carter, Titusville, Pa.; J. C. Donnell and J. E. O'Neill of Findlay, O., and W. J. Young, G. T. Braden, M. R. Daly, George Porter, John Worthington, E. E. Crocker, H. L. Serafford and A. F. Corwin of Pittsburgh. The party will be increased by the local managers in the field.

The Southern Oil Company's gusher on the George Wahl farm, Woodsfield, Monroe county, O., is holding up creditably. The gauge taken yesterday morning showed the well was still flowing at the rate of 18 barrels an hour, equivalent to 432 barrels a day. This is close to the estimate given when it was drilled deeper. Northwest of the Rinard's mills district, Clear fork, the Southern Oil Company has drilled in its No. 7 on the Theresa Hercher farm and has a 12-barrel producer in the Keener sand. Nolan & Company have completed their test on the John Camden farm and have a 10-barrel pumper in the same sand. The New York Petroleum Company has drilled in its No. 9 on the Nancy Lindemood farm and has an 8-barrel pumper. The Carter Oil Company has drilled in its No. 6 on the Knowlton heirs' farm and has a 7-barrel pumper.

In the Wolf creek district, Washington county, E. H. Jennings & Bros. & Selby have completed their No. 4 on the Olive Work heirs' farm and have a duster. In the Chester Hill district, Morgan county, Emma Bowman has completed No. 15 on the E. L. Bowman farm and has a duster. In the same district J. A. Henne & Company have completed their No. 7 on the Isaac Perviance farm and have a duster. In the Corning district, Perry county, C. Nash has completed a test on the J. Donnelly farm and has a duster.

In the Yellow creek extension, Calhoun county, the Cresco Oil & Gas company has drilled its test on the E. Jackson farm through the Berea grit and has a 50-barrel producer. In the same district Mallory Bros. & Stewart have completed their test on the James Rogers farm and have the same kind of a producer. The South Penn Oil Company gave its No. 3 on the Camden-Sommers farm a shot and increased its production to 240 barrels the ensuing 24 hours.

In the Milton district, Cabell county, the Charley Creek Oil & Gas Company has drilled in its No. 3 on the C. E. Burns farm and has a show for a small pumper in the Big Lime formation. The location of this well is only 1,200 feet south of the No. 1 on the E. W. Beckett farm, the first well completed in this development.

In the Salem district, in Harrison county, the Salem Oil Company has completed and shot its test on the Samuel Gain farm and has a 10-barrel pumper in the Gordon. In the Folsom district the South Penn has completed its test on the Charles E. Lambert farm and the well is producing 200 barrels a day. Near Loudensville, Liberty district, Marshall county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the E. Williams farm into the Big Injun and has a show of oil. It is still drilling and may get another pay.

In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 24 on the J. B. Duhurst farm and has a 15-barrel pumper in the Gordon. In the same district Smith & Carnahan's test on the Postalwait heirs' farm is producing 20 barrels a day from the Big Injun and has not been completed.

Near Meadville, Tyler county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its test on the George McCullough farm through the Berea grit and has a duster. In the Bonds creek district, in Ritchie county, the Carter Oil Company's second test on the Douglass reserve is holding up at 90 barrels a day. In the Cairo district, in the same county, the Hudson Oil Company has completed its No. 34 on the Harkness tract and has a show for an 8-barrel pumper in the salt sand. In the St. Mary district, Pleasants county, Ellsworth & Davis have completed their No. 6 on the E. Griffith farm and have a show for a 20 or 25-barrel producer in the Cow Run sand. Two miles north of the Bens Run development, the South Penn Oil Company has completed its test on the B. I. Bogard farm and has a duster in all sands, including the Big Injun.

In the Calcutta district, C. C. Duffild & Company have completed their No. 16 on the L. Virgin farm and have a show for an 8-barrel pumper in the Big Injun. The Vespertine Oil Company has the same kind of a pumper at their No. 3 on the L. F. K. Bills farm. Urquhart & Company have completed No. 30 on the Zachra Jones farm and have a duster in all sands. D. A. Cameron & Company have drilled their test on the Barkwell estate through the Big Injun and have a duster. In the same development Proper, Browse & Campbell's No. 1 on the James Shevlin farm is holding up at 70 barrels a day.

Southwest of Burgettstown, Washington county, R. G. Gillespie has completed his No. 8 on the John Scott farm and has a show for 15 or 20-barrel producer. In the Murdocksville district, Beaver county, Mark & Company have completed No. 3 on the James M. McCoy farm and have a very light pumper. Between Georgetown and Hookstown, in the same county, the Brown Oil Company has drilled its test on the F. S. Laughlin farm into the sand and the well filled up and made several flows. Drilling has been suspended to erect tankage. This location is about 1,500 feet southwest of the wells drilled by M. Finnegan last year. William J. Coursin & Company have drilled their second test on the Joseph Bryan farm through the Berea grit and have a duster. In the Bristoria field, in Greene county, the South Penn Oil Company has given its No. 3 on the L. Parry farm a shot and increased its product from two to 90 barrels a day.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
May 21 and 22.	135,544	May 20 and 21.	151,438
Previously	1,573,641	Previously	1,441,967
Total	1,700,185	Total	1,593,405
Daily avg.	77,690	Daily avg.	75,877

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
May 21 and 22.	118,989	May 20 and 21.	118,434
Previously	1,194,033	Previously	1,034,855
Total	1,313,022	Total	1,153,289
Daily avg.	59,683	Daily avg.	54,819

The Oil Market.

The Standard prices for credit balances in the various fields are as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 62; Tiona, $1 77; Corning, $1 42; New Castle, $1 40; Cabell, $1 37; North Lima, $1 13; South Lima and Indiana, $1 08; Somerset, $1 07; Raglan, 60c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company also quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 62.

OIL CITY, PA., May 23.—Credit balances, $1 62; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 145,321 bbls; average, 78,134 bbls; runs, 151,438 bbls; average, 75,637 bbls; shipments, Lima oil, 118,989 bbls; average, 59,683 bbls; runs, 118,435 bbls; average, 54,881 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., May 23.—North Lima, $1 13; South Lima and Indiana, $1 08.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS, Monday, May 23, 1904.

STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
J. B. Huff & Co.	½	6	2¼
S. B. Hedges & Co.	7½	4	2¾
McCall, Newburn & Joyce	19	10	3
W. & B. Brinkman	10	12	16
L. Dyer & Co.	19	9½	3
McCaulley	1	....	....
Ohio Commission Co.	8	4½	1½
L. Ziegler	3	....	....
J. Needy & Co.	8	3	1½
Max Arnold	4	....	....
Huffman & Mallisee	3	....	....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	3	....	....
Schmitz Bros.	7	....	....
Rush	1	....	....
Unconsigned	16	11	....
Totals	110	60	30
Last Monday	110	45	25

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.			Philadel'a.			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	2	10	2	2	4	7	32	12	2
Tuesday	1	7	4	..	1	4	18	9	6
Wednesday	5	1	2	44	2	4	7	5	2
Thursday	..	11	4	2	2	2	29	4	2
Friday	1	9	6	16	3	3	5	5	2
Sat. and Sun.	..	21	6	51	4	9	6	13	3
Totals	9	59	24	115	16	29	97	48	17
Last week	8	58	11	46	27	38	85	25	25

FREIGHT RATES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	40
New York	17	18	18	30
Philadelphia	15	16	16	28
Baltimore	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

The cattle market was active yesterday and from 10c to 20c higher. The best demand was on light and handy weight cattle. The top price was $5 60. The supply was 110 cars, the same as last week. Quotations follow: Choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $5 45@5 50; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 25@5 35; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $5 00@5 25; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, $4 75@5 00; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs, $4 20@4 50; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $3 20@4 10; roughs, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs, $3 75@4 40; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs, $3 00@4 50; common to good fat cows, $1 50@4 00; common to good fat cows, $1 50@4 00; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@4 40; good fresh cows and springers, $40 00@55 00; common to fair, $20 00@35 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

The supply was fair; thirty loads arrived and the market was active. Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $5 30@5 50; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $5 00@5 25; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $4 60@4 90; culls and common, $2 50@3 50; choice lambs, $6 50@6 90; fair to good, $6 00@6 50; common, $4 00@4 50; veal calves, $4 50@6 00; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50; spring lambs, 5c to 8c a pound.

Hogs.

Receipts of hogs were 60 double-decks; market was active generally at a decline of 10c to 15c. Prime heavy, $4 90@4 95; medium, $4 90; heavy Yorkers, $4 90; light Yorkers, $4 80@4 90; pigs, $4 50@4 70; roughs, $3 50@4 15; stags, $2 50@3 00.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Beeves—Receipts, 3,067 head; steers steady to firm; bulls steady; medium and common cows, slow to 10c lower; fat cows steady; steers, $4 90@5 72½; bulls, $3 25@4 35; cows, $1 75@4 10. Cables quoted live cattle lower at 11¼@12½c per lb, dressed weight; sheep lower at 12@14c, dressed weight. Exports today, 469 head of cattle; 1,338 head of sheep and 5,100 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 9,947 head; market opened 35@50c lower and closed 75c lower; veals, $3 00@5 50; choice, $5 60@5 75; buttermilks, $2 75; city dressed veals lower at 8@8½c per lb; extra, 9c; country dressed, 5@7c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,820 head; sheep steady; good winter lambs strong; others steady; good spring lambs firm; others unchanged; sheep, $3 50@5 35; no very prime here; culls, $2 50@3 00; winter lambs, $5 75@7 35; culls, $4 50@5 50; spring lambs, $6 00@9 00 per 100 lbs; by the head, $2 50@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,992 head; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $5 00@5 20.

KANSAS CITY, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500 head, including 750 southerns; market strong and 10c higher; export and dressed beef steers, $4 85@5 25; fair to good, $4 00@4 60; western fed steers, $4 00@4 90; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 70; southern steers, $3 80@4 70; southern cows, $2 30@3 85; native cows, $2 00@4 25; native heifers, $3 25@4 90; bulls, $2 00@3 80; calves, $2 75@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 9,000 head; market 5c lower; top, $4 55; bulk, $4 40@4 50; heavy, $4 45@4 55; packers, $4 40@4 50; pigs and lights, $3 75@4 45. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; market 15c higher; native lambs, $5 25@6 60; western lambs, $5 25@6 85; fed ewes, $3 45@3 85; Texas clipped yearlings, $4 90@5 35; Texas clipped sheep, $4 50@4 60; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 60.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 22,000 head; market 10@15c higher; good to prime steers, $5 25@5 75; poor to medium, $4 25@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 25@4 95; cows and heifers, $1 75@4 85; canners, $1 75@2 75; bulls, $2 25@4 35; calves, $2 50@5 75. Texas fed steers, $4 00@4 60. Hogs—Receipts today, 45,000 head; estimated for tomorrow, 25,000 head; market 5c lower; mixed and butchers, $4 50@4 70; good to choice heavy, $4 60@4 97½; rough heavy, $4 50@4 60; light, $4 45@4 55; bulk of sales, $4 50@4 60. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000 head; market 15@25c higher; good to choice wethers, $5 35@5 75; fair to choice mixed, $3 75@5 00; native lambs, $5 60@6 25.

The Three Rivers

CINCINNATI, O., May 23.—(Special.)—The stage of the river at 6 p. m. today marked 16.1 feet and rising, making a rise of two feet during the past 24 hours. Weather clear and hot, with heavy rain during early morning. Packets were in and out on time. The towboat movements were:

Arrivals from Pittsburgh, Harvester, Frank Gilman and W. H. Flint. The Harvester of the A. R. Budd Coal Company's fleet was the flagship. The Otto Marmet passed down for the Kentucky river with a tow of coal at noon today. The remainder of the fleets are due here tomorrow with about 8,000,000 bushels of fuel, which will be left in the local coal harbors.

The Greenland, the first of the packets to make runs to the world's fair, will pass here some time tomorrow on her down trip. She will make the run from Pittsburgh to St. Louis direct, and will handle no freight during the time. The party will be back in Pittsburgh three weeks from the day of leaving.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.—River 21 feet, rising. Virginia, for Cincinnati, 9 a. m.; Tacoma, 11 a. m. Down with coal, Valiant, R. P. Gillham, J. B. Lewis. Heavy rain.

LOUISVILLE.—River rising. In canal, 5.5 feet; on falls, 3.3 feet; below locks, 10.8 feet. Clear and pleasant.

PT. PLEASANT, W. VA.—River 17 feet 8 inches and stationary. Down, Tacoma, James Moren, Boaz and Charles Brown. Up, Mary Stuart and Big Kanawha.

GREENSBORO.—River 9 feet 10 inches and falling. Showers, weather warm. Hite down Tuesday and Columbia up.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA.—River 9 feet 4 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm.

GALLIPOLIS, O.—River 20 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and cool.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—River 12 feet 3 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm. Up, Carbon. Down, Cruiser, Dave Wood, J. C. Risher, Tornado, Rival, Greenland.

WARREN.—River 3 feet 5 inches. Weather warm, showers.

OIL CITY, PA.—River 3 feet 11 inches and stationary. Weather cool and raining.

WHEELING.—River 12 feet 3 inches and falling. Warmer and threatening. Up, Queen City, Pittsburgh. Down, Bessie Smith, Parkersburg; Greenland, St. Louis; Avalon, to Cincinnati, to enter the Coney Island excursion trade. Steamer Big Kanawha will enter Avalon's trade. Down with coal, Cruiser, Dave Wood, J. C. Risher and Tornado.

MARIETTA, O.—River 13 feet and falling. Coal City down, 8 a. m. Queen City up, 11 a. m.

Arrivals.

Keystone State, Knox, Cincinnati.
Avalon, Cramer, Parkersburg.
Kanawha, Roe, Charleston.
Columbia, DeMain, Morgantown.

Departures.

Keystone State, Knox, Cincinnati.
Greenland, Greene, St. Louis.
Avalon, Cramer, Parkersburg.
Rose Hite, Williams, Morgantown.

Local River Notes.

The stage of water in the Ohio river according to the gauges at Davis Island dam last night at 9 o'clock was 9 feet and falling.

The Columbia is the Morgantown packet today.

The big Sprague is making good time down the Mississippi.

The Kanawha will be the Charleston packet today. She arrived on time yesterday.

The Keystone State had a good trip in and out yesterday. She had 997 packages of freight aboard coming in; also a good list of passengers both ways.

The rivers are falling slowly, but it is thought the rains of yesterday will keep the water up for some time yet. The Enterprise and Volunteer left yesterday with 17 barges of coal each. About 18 barges will be sent out tomorrow by the River Coal Company.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The visible supply of grain May 21, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, is as follows: Wheat, 24,111,000 bushels; decrease, 3,927,000 bushels. Corn, 5,164,000 bushels; decrease, 1,331,000 bushels. Oats, 6,242,000 bushels; decrease, 834,000 bushels. Rye, 926,000 bushels; decrease, 53,000 bushels. Barley, 2,176,000 bushels; decrease, 121,000 bushels.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The drygoods market has been engrossed with auction sales and little interest was taken in the ordinary market. Interest in export goods was somewhat quickened, but no large lots are reported sold.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

"My husband's hair turned gray when he was only twenty. Ayer's Hair Vigor soon restored the natural color, and cured the dandruff also."—Mrs. F. L. Oatman, Omro, Wis.

Your gray hair shows you should use it—unless you like to look old! Have young hair and keep young. Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color to gray hair, all the deep, rich color of youth. Stops falling hair, also. Sold for 60 years, in all parts of the world.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

WHEAT WEAKENS ON CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

Bearish Advices from the West and Shipments from Russia the Cause.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—Bearish crop advices from the northwest and the southwest, in addition to liberal shipments from Russia, caused weakness in wheat today. Compared with Saturday's final figures July wheat shows a loss of half a cent. Corn is unchanged. Oats are a shade lower. Provisions are up 2½ to 12½c.

For a brief period at the start, the wheat market had a firm undertone. The firmness was due mainly to extremely small local receipts, only two cars being inspected into store here today. Initial sales of July were unchanged to ⅝c higher at 87⅝@88¼c. Ideal weather conditions and surprisingly heavy shipments from Russia, asserted influence, however, before the session had made much progress, and on scattered selling the market became easier. Weakness of the May delivery affected the deferred futures and was a prominent bear influence. Great improvement was claimed in the condition of the winter crop. One report from Kansas City was especially optimistic, the assertion being made that threshing will be begun in Kansas within 30 days.

The report further declared that early wheat from that section would be rushed into Chicago in preference to gulf ports. The market became quite weak during the latter part of the session, part of the weakness being due to selling by those who on Saturday bought on the reported cash sales at Minneapolis. Bearish crop advices from the northwest had much to do with the increased depression pervading the pit near the close. The market finished weak near the bottom, July being at 87⅝c, after touching 87⅛@87¼c. May ranged between 97⅝c and 99½c, and closed at 98c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 127,500 bushels. The amount on passage increased 328,000 bushels, while the visible supply decreased 3,927,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 337,000 bushels, compared with 435,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 235 cars, against 129 last week and 313 a year ago.

In viey of the number of bear factors manifested throughout the session the corn market held up remarkably well. The principal weakening influences were the extremely favorable weather for the growing crop, the large receipts estimated for tomorrow and the demoralized condition of the cash market. The supporting feature of the situation was a persistent demand from a big commission house. The market closed about steady at yesterday's final figures. July opened ⅛c to ⅛@¼c lower at 48⅛@48¼c, sold between 47¾ and 48½@48⅝c, closing at 48¼@48⅜c. Local receipts were 175 cars, 11 of contract grade.

Excellent weather and predictions of liberal receipts tomorrow had a depressing influence on the oats market, a bearish sentiment being manifested throughout the entire session. Weakness in other grains also tended to bring out sales from scattered sources. After opening ⅛c lower at 38⅜c, July ranged between 38c and 38⅝@38¾c, closing at 38¼@38⅜c. Local receipts were 95 cars.

Provisions were easier early in the day as a result of heavy receipts of hogs and lower prices at the yards. The demand for all products, however, was quite active and offerings were readily absorbed, resulting in a fair advance. Packers were credited with moderate purchases. July pork closed with a gain of 12½c, at $11 07½. Lard and ribs were each up 2½@5c at $6 32½ and $6 40 respectively. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 15 cars; corn, 312 cars; oats, 210 cars.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Saturday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
May	99½	99½	97⅝	98	98⅝
July o.	89½	89½	88¼	88⅝	89¼
July n.	88¼	88¼	87¼	87⅝	87⅞
Sep. o.	82¾	82⅝	82	82¼	82½
Sep. n.	81⅜	81⅜	80⅝	80⅞	81⅜
CORN No. 2.					
May	47¾	47¾	47½	47½	48
July	48¼	48⅜	47⅞	48⅛	48⅜
Sept.	47⅝	47⅝	47	47½	47½
OATS No. 2.					
May	41	41¼	40½	40¾	41½
July	38½	38⅝	38	38¼	38¾
Sept.	30⅝	30⅝	30½	30⅜	30⅝
MESS PORK					
July	10 90	11 10	10 85	11 07½	10 95
Sept.	11 12½	11 32½	11 10	11 30	11 20
LARD					
July	6 25	6 35	6 22½	6 32½	6 30
Sept.	6 42½	6 50	6 40	6 50	6 47½
SHORT RIBS					
July	6 35	6 42½	6 30	6 40	6 37½
Sept.	6 50	6 60	6 47½	6 57½	6 52½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour dull and easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 95@99c; No. 3, 86@97c; No. 2 red, $1 05@1 06; No. 2 corn, 49c; No. 2 yellow, 50@50½c; No. 2 oats, 40⅞@41¼c; No. 3 white, 41@43c; No. 2 rye, 77c; good feeding barley, 35@38c; fair to choice malting, 45@56c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 00; No. 1 northwestern, $1 00; prime timothy seed, $3 05; mess pork, per bbl., $11 00@11 05; lard, per 100 lbs., $6 25@6 27½; short ribs sides (loose), $6 25@6 37½; short clear sides (boxed), $6 25@6 50; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 28; clover, contract grade, $10 75.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	23,000	22,500
Wheat, bu.	6,000	21,700
Corn, bu.	171,900	266,000
Oats, bu.	143,600	144,100
Rye, bu.	4,000	4,300
Barley, bu.	32,000	10,300

NEW YORK, May 23.—Flour—Receipts, 12,127 bbls; exports, 7,065 bbls; firmly held, but dull. Rye flour firm. Cornmeal steady. Rye dull. Barley dull. Wheat—Receipts, 23,000 bu; spot firm; No. 2 red, nominal elevator, and nominal f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1 03⅛ f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal f o b afloat. Options opened stronger and were sustained for a time by covering orders in July, due to bullish cash position, coupled with prospects of a heavy visible supply decrease. Later they reacted under big world's shipments, excellent weather west and a smaller visible decrease than expected, closing ⅛@1¼c net lower. May, 98⅛@99¼c, closed 98¼c; July, 92½@93 9-16c, closed 92⅝c; September, 84⅛@84⅝c, closed 84¼c; December, 83¾@84 3-16c, closed 83⅞c. Corn—Receipts, 6,450 bu; spot firm; No. 2 nominal elevator, and 58c f o b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 58c. Option market was dull and easy at first on fine weather, rallying late with the west. The close was ⅛@¼c net higher. May, closed 62c; July closed 54⅝c; September, 53¼@53⅜c, closed 53⅜c. Oats—Receipts, 148,500 bu; spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 lbs, 46c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs, 48@50c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs, 50@53½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—Wheat, May, 95⅛c; July, 94⅝c; September, 81½c; on track, No. 1 hard, 98⅝c; No. 1 northern, 97⅝c; No. 2 northern, 95⅝c. Flour, first patents, $5 10@5 20; second patents, $5 00@5 10; first clears, $3 60; second clears, $2 60. Bran in bulk, $16 50@17 00.

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—Close—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, elevator, $1 08; July, 84⅞@85c; September, 80¾c; No. 2 hard, 97c@$1 01. Corn, No. 2 cash, 50¼c; July, 47½@47⅝c; September, 46⅝@46⅞c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 41c; July, 36⅛c; September, 30¼c.

MILWAUKEE, May 23.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 00½; No. 2 northern, 98@99c; old, July, 88½c bid. Rye, No. 1, 79@79½c. Barley, No. 2, 63c; sample, 40@60c. Corn, No. 3, 51@53c; July, 48¼@48⅜c.

TOLEDO, O., May 23.—Cloverseed closed, cash, $6 25; October, $5 72½; prime alsike, $6 15; August alsike, $6 35; prime timothy, $1 45; September, $1 47 bid.

DULUTH, MINN., May 23.—Close—Wheat, No. 1 hard, 97@97⅛c; No. 1 northern, 96½c; No. 2 northern, 94c; May, 96½c; July, 94½c; September, 81¾c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 23.—Turpentine firm at 53¾c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, D, $2 60; E, $2 65; F, $2 70; G, $2 70; H, $2 75; I, $2 90; K, $3 05; M, $3 10; N, $3 20; W G, $3 45; W W, $3 75.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 23.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Tar firm at $1 90. Crude turpentine firm at $2 75, $4 00@4 25.

SAVANNAH, GA., May 23.—Turpentine firm at 54c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, D, $2 70; E, $2 75; F, $2 80; G, $2 80; H, $2 85; I, $3 00; K, $3 15; M, $3 20; N, $3 30; W G, $3 55; W W, $3 85.

Freight Rates Reduced on Steel and Iron to the Coast

The transcontinental freight bureau has announced a reduction in the freight tariff of 10 cents per 100 pounds on structural iron and steel from Missouri river points west to the Pacific coast terminals. The new rate, which is 75 cents, became effective a few days ago, but will be good only until September 30. Previous to January, 1904, the rate on structural steel and iron from New York, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Buffalo, etc., to the Pacific coast was 75 cents, but on January 18 it was advanced 10 cents per 100 pounds.

Many of the steel companies made contracts on the 75-cent basis and in order that they will not suffer loss by the January advance the rate has been returned to 75 cents. It is said that by September all such contracts will have been filled or have expired and the higher rate can then apply. The commodities included are all kinds of iron and steel structural shapes, such as angles, channels, beams, columns and girders, as well as steel and iron bridge and wharf materials. The rate given applies only to carload lots.

Low Memorial Day Rates.

The Big Four recently announced a rate for Memorial day of one fare, plus 25 cents, for all points within a radius of 150 miles of the selling point. As soon as this was done it was almost a certainty that competing lines would meet the Big Four rate. Rather than throw the entire territory open to the controversy the Central Passenger association has asked the other roads to vote on the rate. A mail vote is being taken.

Associations May Merge.

At the annual meeting of the Railway Transportation association and International association of Car Accountants, which will be held in Washington, D. C., beginning today, it is likely that the two organizations will be merged. Many delegates to the conventions passed through here yesterday in a special train over the Baltimore & Ohio and most of them favor a merger.

Inter-Urban Trains Next Sunday.

The long-looked for train service between East Liberty, Pitcairn and Sewickley valley points on the Pennsylvania and Ft. Wayne will become a reality next Sunday. The date was not set until yesterday. There will be three trains each way daily. Arrangements have been made for connection at the Union station with Panhandle and Monongahela division trains.

Santa Fe Increases Force Here.

On account of prospects for better business E. F. Falk, general agent of the Santa Fe system in Pittsburgh, has been notified to add a freight solicitor to his force. Waldo P. Borland, clerk in the Pittsburgh offices, has been made contracting agent and will assume his duties June 1. The force of the Santa Fe after that date will number seven men.

Railroad Notes.

President Ramsey of the Wabash is expected here soon.

O. G. Parsley, general agent of the Kansas City Southern at Chicago, was here yesterday.

R. T. Smith, soliciting agent of the Louisville & Nashville at Pittsburgh, returned yesterday from a brief visit to his home in Louisville.

R. E. L. Maunsell, assistant locomotive engineer of the Great Southern & Western railroad of Ireland, was a guest of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie yesterday. He is inspecting the railroads of this country.

A local freight official said yesterday that the strike of the masters and pilots on the great lakes is keeping over 200,000 men out of employment. In this district it is said that not over 5 per cent of the miners are at work. The lake season would have opened May 15, or earlier, had the strike not prevented. The Pittsburgh railroads and coal operators are losing heavily.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Meetings of the stockholders of the La Reine and the Bullion-Beck tunnel companies had been called to ratify the proposition to consolidate.

The shipments from Tintic district last week amounted to 138 carloads of grade ore and three carloads of concentrates. The latter was shipped from the mill of the Uncle Sam, which mine also sent in one carload of crude ore. There is a carload of high-grade copper ore on the market from Clarisa. The Centennial-Eureka shipped 58 carloads, the Grand Central 20, the Gemini 15, the Mammoth 11. Five other mines contributed to the output.

It is reported that the Sacramento Company has sold the quicksilver which has been extracted in the past six months for $15,795, or at the rate of $45 per flask.

The mill of the Ohio Copper Company at Bingham has been closed down for a few days to give time to set up some new rollers. This will soon be running again, however.

A $50,000 mining deal has been made at Libby, Mont., the property transferred being a group of gold quartz claims on Leigh creek, Flathead county. McDonald & Son, Kay and Rategan were the owners, and the group was purchased by Spokane men, representing an eastern syndicate.

Development work is being continued in the Bald Butte mine near Helena. The principal owners of this property, which more than paid its cost in dividends, are loth to believe that it has been worked out, and because of this belief a considerable sum is being spent in exploration work.

Ore assaying $50 a ton, with values in copper, gold and silver, has been found by William Swiggy and partner, who are developing two claims near Marysville. The strike was made at a depth of 30 feet and the pay streak is 18 inches wide. A tunnel will be driven to tap the vein at 150 feet.

The Copper Hill mine in High Ore Gulch, one of the properties of the Red Bird Company of Helena, is shipping 30 tons of ore a day, with values in copper and iron. The first shipment from the Reliance, also owned by the Red Bird Company, and which adjoins the Copper Hill, netted $93 a ton in copper and silver.

Further advices from Turret, Colorado, on the Par Value Consolidated Company's recent strike on the Gold Bug, indicates that a big ore chute has been found on the west drift off the fourth level, carrying high values. The streak has widened to one foot with indications of increasing. The work on the east drift has disclosed large bodies of mill dirt.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The London metal markets being closed, no news of importance was received from abroad, and the local markets were rather quiet in consequence. Tin was quiet and unchanged, but steady in tone, with spot quoted at $27 60@27 80. Copper, too, was quiet and unchanged as to prices, but there were reports of a rather better demand and prices were steadily held. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $13 00@13 12½, and casting at $12 62½@12 87½. Lead was lower, being quoted at $4 45@4 50, while spelter remains quiet as recent figures, or $5 15@5 20 for spot. Pig iron warrants are dull and more or less nominal at $9 25. The market for pig iron is quiet. No. 1 foundry northern is quoted at $15 00@15 50; No. 2 foundry northern, at $14 50@15 00; No. 1 foundry southern and No. 1 foundry southern soft at $13 50@13 75.

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1000 Par Value at .... .12½

	Bid.	Asked.
*Bald Butte Mining Co.	.60	.90
Black Diamond Copper	1.00	1.59
Columbus Cons.	.17	.21
Ethel Cons. pfd.	.02	.05
Hidden Fortune Mining Co.	.11½	.13
Horseshoe Mining Co.	.05¾	.07½
*Mine La Motte	8.00	8.90
Montana Tonopah Mining Co.	1.50	1.75
Spearfish G. M. Co.	.30	.38
Tonopah Extension	1.00	1.22
Tonopah Mining Co.	8.75	9.50
Treadwell, Geo. A.	7.40	8.00
Twentieth Century (Ont.)	.90	1.50
Viznaga G. M. Co.	.04	.06
Great Chief Oil	1.05	1.25
Pgh. & Ind. Oil and Gas	....	17.50

*Dividend payers.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
Allouez	4¼	4¼	4¼	4
Adventure	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Amalgamated	*51	....	....	50¾
Arcadian	*50	....	....	40
Atlantic	*8	....	....	7½
Bingahm	*21½	....	....	21
Calumet & Arizona	†100	*100¼	....	*101
Calumet & Hecla	450	459	458	458
Centennial	19½	20	19½	19¾
Calumet & Pgh	†27	*30	....	25
Junction Dev. Co	†18	*21	*20	15
L. S. & P. D.	†145	*151	....	145
Mohawk	40	40¼	40	40¼
Michigan	*4½	....	....	4
Old Dominion	12½	12½	12½	12
Parrot	24½	24½	24½	24½
Pittsburgh & Duluth	*40	....	....	*40
Range Consolidated	43	43½	42½	43
United Fruit	111	111	111	110½
Utah	33¾	33¾	33¾	33½
U. S. Mining	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Winona	6	6½	6	6

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.20	Little Chief	.05
Alice	.30	Ontario	3.50
Breece	.10	Ophir	5.25
Brunswick Con.	.05	Phoenix	.10
Con. Cal & Va.	1.55	Potosi	.14
Comstock Tunnel	.10	Savage	.30
Horn Silver	1.35	Sierra Nevada	.40
Iron Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.15
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	2.00

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NOTICE—In the court of common pleas No. 2, No. 237 April term, 1904.

In the matter of the petion of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses and assess the benefits for the grading of Marshall avenue, from Perrysville avenue to Island avenue, Tenth and Eleventh wards.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the court viewers in the foregoing matter, hereby give notice, that they will, on the 6th day of June A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., meet on the line of said improvement, at the corner of Marshall avenue and Perrysville avenue, proceeding thence over the line of said improvement, viewing the same, and the premises affected thereby, and will hear all parties interested therein and their witnesses.

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BOAT WILL BE POPULAR.

Passenger Lists to Exposition May Be Bigger—Greenland Got Away.

A larger number of people than anticipated will make the trip by boat from here to St. Louis. This was shown by the interest taken in the Greenland's trip out yesterday. About 70 people were aboard and others at down-river points swelled the number to about 100 passengers. Inquiries are coming in regarding the next trip by this boat, June 13.

The Pittsburgh & Cincinnati packet line will carry many passengers to the exposition. Maj. Henderson said yesterday: "The inquiries have been rolling in for weeks and we will be kept busy taking care of the people. While a good number are arranging to make the trip over our line to Cincinnati, and from there by the Lee line, a proportion of inquiries are about the trips we have arranged by boat to Cincinnati and from there by rail. The saving in time is an attraction on the one hand, and the quiet of the boat seems to be a favorite with many.

The Greenland will be gone three weeks and the boat will be used by the passengers during the week she is tied up at St. Louis. One week will be spent going and another returning. One hour before the boat departed yesterday Frank Stover and Miss Harriet Becker, both of Marietta, were married aboard by the Rev. Warren G. Patridge, of this city. The groom is a hotel man of Marietta. Intimate friends of the couple were present at the ceremonies, which took place in the boat's texas.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Government bonds closed ⅛ lower bid for the 4s of 1925 and registered 3s. The general bond market was moderately strong in tone, with principal dealings in Rock Island collateral 4s, Union Pacific convertible 4s, Steel Sinking Fund 5s, and Wabash deb. "B." District of Columbia 3, 65s, 119 bid; Philippine 4s, 110 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Atchison gen. 4s	101¼	100⅞	100¾
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95	94¾	94¾
Brooklyn R. T. con. 4s	77	76½	76½
Central of Georgia 1st inc.	76	74½	76
Do 2d inc.	36⅝	36	36¼
C. R. I. & P. R. R. 4s	69⅛	69	69¼
Lack Steel 5s	98¼	98	98
Southern Ry. 1st con. 5s	116	115½	116
Union Pacific 1st 4s	105¼	104⅝	104⅝
Do conv. 4s	97½	97	97
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	73⅜	73⅛	73½
Wabash 1st 5s	115⅝	114⅞	115⅝
Wabash deb. "B"	59½	58¾	59½

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Close—Money on call easy, 1@2 per cent; closing bid and offered, 1 per cent; time loans easier; 60 and 90 days, 3 per cent; six months', 3¾ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4½ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 86.70 for demand and at $4 84.75 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 85½@4 86 and $4 87½@4 88; commercial bills, $4 84@4 84½; bar silver, 55⅛c; Mexican dollars, 44c; government bonds weak; railroad bonds steady.

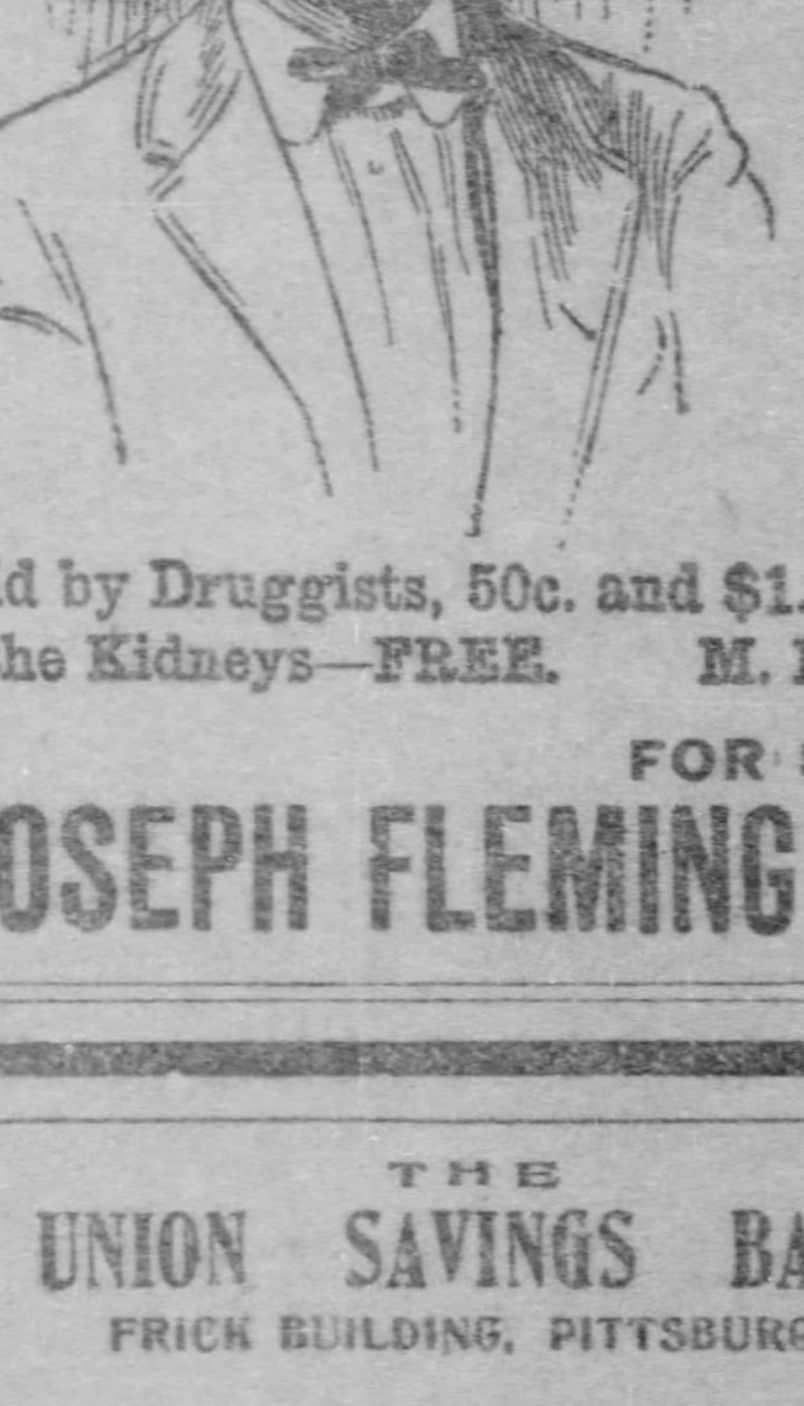
Foreign Exchange.

The Iron City Trust Company quotes checks as follows: London, $4 86 80; Paris, $5 15⅝; marks, 95 7-16; kronen, Austria, 20.36; Italian lire, paper, $5 16½; Dutch guilders, 40.32; roubles, 51.60; pesetas, 14.15; kroners (Scandinavian), 26.84; Hongkong (dollars local currency), $4 4250; Yokohama (dollars local currency), $4 95; Manila (pesos), par.

MOVEMENTS IN TRADE.

HALSTED, MICH., May 23.—J. F. Buehler & Co.'s saw mill and lumber yard were destroyed by fire Sunday. Loss $50,000, with no insurance.

PONCA CITY, OKLA., May 23.—The plant of the Ponca Ice Company, owned by Ruemmell & Brown of St. Louis, was destroyed by fire today. Loss $50,000.



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Draper & Co. Upright—Mahogany. Was $275, now $185.

Gilbert Upright—Mahogany. Was $300, now $195.

German Upright—Ebonized. Was $250, now $95.

Mendelssohn Upright—Mahogany. Was $300, now $175.

Wessel & Co. Upright—Mahogany. Was $325, now $210.

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City of Allegheny, May 20, 1904.

NOTICE TO ASPHALT CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS.—Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the city controller until 9 a. m., Friday, May 27, 1904, for doing the following work:

FOR THE REPAIR OF STREETS PAVED WITH SHEET ASPHALTUM.

Specifications can be seen and all information obtained at the office of the superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond for $7,500.00 with two sureties probated before the city controller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance of councils for furnishing bonds for city contracts.

The mayor and the director of the department of public works reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Proposals will be opened publicly in the office of the mayor at 10 a. m., Friday, May 27, 1904.

JAMES G. WYMAN,
Mayor.
EDWARD J. M'ILVAIN,
Director Department of Public Works.

TRANSFER AND STORAGE.

Allegheny Transfer and Storage Co.
MOVING. STORAGE.
PADDED VANS, LARGE WAGONS, SEPARATE ROOMS, CLEAN AND DRY. LOWEST PRICES. LOWEST INSURANCE RATE.
ALLEGHENY TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.
840 West North Ave., Allegheny.

SHANAHAN TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.,
FURNITURE MOVERS, (TEL.
FURNITURE PACKERS, 1849
FURNITURE STORAGE, GRANT.)
SEPARATE APARTMENTS.
PADDED VANS FOR MOVING,
WAGONS FOR MOVING,
ONE-HORSE WAGONS FOR HIRE.
MAGEE STREET, NEAR FIFTH AVENUE.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE. Furniture 20 per cent less than you could buy it for last week; ask your neighbor.

ACCOUNTANTS.

J. S. McCALEB,
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT,
1025 Park Building. Tel., Grant 2 98.
Secretary and manager Corporation Trust Co.

WANTED.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in The Gazette.

Agents.

A FORTUNE FOR YOU—Don't miss it; a rare chance if you desire a quick-paying business; best selling article in the world; worth its weight in gold; sells like hot cakes; grand success awaits every worker; don't remain poor; money coming in daily; judge for yourself; greatest invention since printing; no room to explain here; circulars free; agents wanted. Address Sells Specialty Co., Bellingham, Wash.

A FORTUNE for you; don't miss it; a rare chance if you desire a quick-paying business; best selling article in the world; worth its weight in gold; grand success awaits every worker; don't remain poor; money coming in daily; judge for yourself; greatest invention since printing; no room to explain here; catalogue free; agents wanted. Address Suburban Supply Co., 312 Willow st., Trenton, N. J.

BE INDEPENDENT—You will miss the best chance you ever had to make money fast if you do not write at once. Biggest snap on earth. A puller. You show what it will do and it sells itself. Every day's delay is money lost. Chance of a life time. Be quick. Don't miss it. Unwise to delay. Circulars free. Agents wanted. Address Eureka Specialty Co., 240 S. Sixth st., Room 3, Philadelphia, Pa.

$5 DAILY SURE—Other agents have dropped everything to take up our work; don't delay; a fortune for you; chance of a lifetime; grand success awaits every worker; biggest snap on earth; don't be hard up; money coming in daily; sells like hot cakes; worth its weight in gold; unwise to delay; snug income; catalogue free; agents wanted. Address Wm. H. Young, Albion, N. Y.

DON'T MISS THIS—If you are at home to an honest business proposition, and act promptly, we will show you how to make $25 to $50 a week. Ladies especially successful. One lady's profits in ten days exceeded $50. Needed in every home. You show what it does, it sells itself. Circulars free. Complete outfit $1. Home Supply Co., Elgin, Erie Co., Pa.

WE CAN prove that our general agents make $25 per day; if you are making less than $300 per month write to us; don't waste stamps on catch-penny advertisements; we forfeit $500 to any person proving we do not send free samples at once on receipt of application. Braham Co., P. 319, Cincinnati, O.

WANTED—TO HEAR FROM EVERY LIVE PICTURE MAN ON THE ROAD WHO IS HANDLING 100 OR MORE PORTRAITS PER MONTH. A NEW PROPOSITION FOR TOWNS AND COUNTRY. X-L CO., 47 N. STATE ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

AGENTS wanted, either sex; two meritorious 25c household articles; housekeepers glad to get opportunity to buy. Address or call McArthur Mfg. Co., 55 Imperial Power bldg., Third and Penn, Pittsburgh.

MACHINIST wanted in every shop to sell a new kind of soap; it saves time in washing up; quick seller; large profits; send for free samples. Wm. Sackman, 762½ Monroe st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

NATURAL diamonds; puzzle experts; stand every test; our pocket outfit starts you; write for special offer.
CHAPMAN-TOWER CO.,
Syracuse, N. Y.

OUR Gold Sign Letters bring the coin; simple to apply; cheap, durable; sample 10c; particulars free. Frost Proof Gold Letter Co., 85 Cranberry st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

AGENTS make $6 daily selling the cheapest and most perfect water filter ever invented; retails at $2; big profit; exclusive territory. Seneca Filter Co., Seneca, Mo.

STOP runaways; hitch horses solid instantly; carry in pocket; sight seller; agents wanted. Pocket Hitchingpost Co., 208 Main st., Muncie, Ind.

WE START YOU selling diamonds; don't fail getting our liberal offer; $5 daily sure. Carbon Diamond Co., Syracuse, N. Y. Mention paper.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
Furniture 20 per cent less than you could buy it for last week; ask your neighbor.

AGENTS WANTED—To introduce our new marine motor; big commission. Cook Bros, Pekin, Ill.

Male Help.

BOILERMAKERS and boilermakers' helpers for railroad shop, out of town; must be sober and industrious. Apply between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., H. J. Munroe, 644 Penn ave., 2d floor, room 2.

BOY—Wanted bright boy about 16 to make himself generally useful about office. Address F 152, The Gazette.

BUSHELMAN—James MacGregor, Sixth and Liberty aves.

CARPENTERS—50 good carpenters. Apply to C. Messersmith, 526 W. Arch st., Pottsville.

CLERK—Payroll clerk having experience in office work; give age, reference and salary expected. Address W 151, The Gazette.

COATMAKER—First-class. Call Harry C. Kampes, 500 Federal st., Allegheny.

CUSTOM CUTTER—James MacGregor, Sixth st. and Liberty ave.

DRAUGHTSMEN—At once, several first-class mechanical draughtsmen with electrical experience; those with experience on controllers preferred; state experience in full and salary expected; references required. Address Z 151, The Gazette.

EARN $50 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $5 column for work in spare time; no canvassing. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

GOOD OFFICE POSITION—Out of city, for active, reliable man; $20 WEEKLY, YEARLY CONTRACT; references and security required; experience of line not necessary. Star Bureau, 120 Sixth st.

LABORERS for inside work; drivers for transfer wagon; rough carpenters; good wages. 606 River ave., Allegheny.

10 MACHINISTS out of city; good wages; at once. 606 River ave., Allegheny.

MAN—Wanted bright young man about 18 years old for work in grocery store. Apply 647 Smithfield street.

MEN—Two men to sell from wagon and one to learn the business with view of becoming collector. Call after 9 a. m. C. F. Adams Co., 811 Fifth ave., second floor.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
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SALESMAN—To be filled, good position, traveling salesman; applicant must be about or over 25 years of age; good address, appearance and education; work is of a high-grade soliciting, and means $150.00 to $400.00 per month, besides expenses; situation permanent; no snap but real work for hard-earned dollars. For further particulars write John H. Mumbower, district manager, rooms 202-203 Wallace bldg., New Castle, Pa.

SALESMEN make 500 per cent commission selling Novelty Sign Cards; merchants buy 10 to 100 on sight; 800 varieties; catalogue free. Sullivan Co., 1139 Maplewood ave., Chicago, Ill.

SALESMEN to sell teas and coffee in all Pennsylvania and Ohio towns. Continental Tea and Coffee Co., 914 Federal st., Allegheny.

SALESMAN who can call on the saloon trade. Keystone Cel-Pep-Ko Co., Room 308, Fite building, 545 Liberty ave.

TIMEKEEPER—Night, large sheet works; state age, reference and salary expected. Address F 151, The Gazette.

TRAVELING MAN—No selling or canvassing; salary $18 weekly; expenses advanced; experience unnecessary. Manager Phillips, Manhattan Bldg., Chicago.

TRUSTWORTHY PERSON each district to superintend business for wholesale house; $20 paid weekly; expense money advanced; position permanent; experience not essential; this is no deception. Manager 807 Como Bldg., Chicago.

TWO first-class dinkey engineers. Apply Thomas McNally Co., Blairsville Intersection, Pa.

WANTED—For the U. S. Marine Corps—Able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35, good character; must speak, read and write English; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions, and at naval stations in the United States. Apply Recruiting Officer, room 414, Postoffice building, city.

WANTED—A good, all-round machine and bench planing mill hand; none others need apply. Apply to Krieg & Bro., Pottsville, Pa.

YOUNG MEN—With fair business ability, willing to work to prepare for good Gov't Positions. Entrance salary $800. Gradual Promotion. Permanent. Box 1, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

YOUNG MEN everywhere, copy letters, home evenings, $9.50 week. Send addressed envelope for particulars. Manager Dept. S 152, Box 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

$20 WEEKLY easily earned (position permanent), distributing circulars, samples, etc., send 4c for particulars. Commercial Advertising Association, Philadelphia, Pa.

Female Help.

COOK—Pantry and second cook for summer resort hotel. Inquire of Yoder & Yoder, Fifth and Wylie aves. Yoder Law bldg.

HOUSEWORK girl for small family; no washing. 18 Ninth st.

LADIES wanted everywhere, copying letters at home, evenings or spare time, and return [illegible] no mailing or canvassing; $9.00 weekly [illegible] materials free; enclose self-addressed [illegible] for particulars. Guarantee Co., No. [illegible] Ninth st., Philadelphia, Pa.

[illegible]—We pay 25c each for writing short [illegible] particulars for stamp. Herald Pub. Co., Station "S," Cincinnati, O.

[illegible]—We pay $20 per hundred for writing [illegible] letters. Send stamped envelope for par[illegible]. Ideal Mfg. Co., Benton Harbor, Mich.

[illegible]KERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
[illegible]iture 20 per cent less than you could buy [illegible] last week; ask your neighbor.

[illegible]STRESS—Waistmakers and helpers; also [illegible] makers. 324 Penn ave.

[illegible]CITORS—Apply at once. 207 W. Ohio [illegible] Allegheny, Pa.

WANTED—WOMEN
[illegible] join the Woman's National Club of Sea[illegible], the latest and best out; a chance of a [illegible]time to get an income by becoming a char[illegible] member; send 10 cents, silver, for informa[illegible]. Write now. Address J. G. Marmion, 618 Soledad st., San Antonio, Tex.

WANTED—Two good canvassers; steady work, good pay. Apply 615 Liberty ave.; call early.

WANTED.

Female Help.

WOMAN—White, for general housework; German preferred; no washing; $4.00 per week. Apply 1230 Franklin ave., Wilkinsburg.

Situations—Male.

YOUNG man of experience and ability desires position as salesman in wholesale grocery line. Am enabled by past experience to take care of established route, or work up new trade. Excellent references as to character, etc. Address L 151, The Gazette.

SITUATION as traveling salesman for wholesale grocer or flour house; several years' experience; first-class reference. Address B 152, The Gazette.

CONCRETE FOREMAN—Competent to take charge of steel reinforced building work; years of experience. Brown, 4619 Forbes.

SITUATION by gentleman as night watchman or other light work. 140 Forty-third st.

Situations—Female.

SITUATION by experienced German nurse for one or two small children; $6 week. Address B 185, The Gazette.

YOUNG WOMAN of respectability desires position where she can make herself useful generally; will furnish excellent reference; is educated and refined. Address B 188, The Gazette.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
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SITUATIONS—For German cook and chambermaid. 4514 Penn ave. Bell 188 Fisk.

Pupils.

RENO SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 432 Wood st. A school of the highest type, making a specialty of preparing students for ordinary and professional shorthand work. Day and evening sessions. Post-graduate course.

FOR SALE—Electrical engineering course in Scranton Correspondence school; $55.00. Address K 162, The Gazette.

Special.

HOME wanted for boy 9 years old; can pay $3 per week board. Location in nearby town preferred. Address A. 153, The Gazette.

Storerooms.

WANTED—Corner location, suitable for drug store; rent of room or building. Address L. E. Gutilius, 2021 Penn ave., Pittsburgh.

Miscellaneous.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth Ave.
711 Forbes st. Both Telephones.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
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H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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City and Suburban.

BEDFORD AVE., 1925—Nicely furnished front rooms, all conveniences; colored.

BIDDLE AVE., 418, Wilkinsburg—Two elegantly furnished rooms; good location; every convenience.

BLAIR ST., 4720—Nicely furnished alcove front room; private family; all conveniences.

BLAIR ST., 4831—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen; private family; all conveniences.

BLUFF ST., 1818—Neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences; gentlemen only, desirable location.

BLUFF ST., 1331—Neatly furnished front rooms; every convenience; desirable location.

BRADDOCK AVE., 810—Convenient to city; large front room.

CARSON ST., 1106—Nicely furnished room, private family; all conveniences.

CARSON ST., 1805—Nicely furnished rooms, private family; all conveniences.

CONGRESS ST., 612—Second floor furnished front rooms, new house; all conveniences.

112 ERIN ST.—Comfortable room; central location; all conveniences; gentlemen only.

ELLIS AVE., 8, facing Perrysville—Elegantly furnished front rooms; every convenience; gentlemen.

FOR RENT—Second floor; 4 rooms, use of bath; laundry, gas. 535 Marie ave., Avalon, Pa.

FOURTH AVE., 212—Large front room, furnished, suitable for two gentlemen.

FIFTH AVE., 3519—The Lathrop—Large, finely furnished rooms, with excellent board; fine location; all conveniences.

FIFTH AVE., 2450—Furnished second-story room; stationary washstand; rent $10.

FIFTH AVE., 2014—Nicely furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen.

GRANT ST., 306—Two furnished rooms, gases, water, refrigerator and range, for housekeeping.

GERTRUDE ST., 5230—Neatly furnished rooms, private family; board optional; modern conveniences.

GERTRUDE ST., 5243—Nicely furnished rooms for doctor or dressmaker; all conveniences.

FRANKLIN AVE., 829, Edgewood—Three neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences, near station.

GERTRUDE ST., 5308—Nicely furnished rooms in private family; all conveniences.

GERTRUDE ST., 5236—Nicely furnished room in private family; all conveniences.

GRANT ST., 206, Pittsburgh—Nicely furnished rooms.

GLEN CALADH, 203, near Second, Hazelwood—Nicely furnished alcove front room; all conveniences.

HAIN ST., 278—Nicely furnisher front room, suitable for two gentlemen.

HAZELWOOD AVE., 223—Nicely furnished rooms, summer location; all conveniences.

KANSAS ST., second door from Genesta—Furnished room for gentlemen, or couple; private family.

LIBERTY AVE., 330—Nicely furnished second story front room; suitable for 6 or 8 clerks; also beds, $1, $1.25 and $1.50 per week.

MEYRAN AVE., 339—Two furnished housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; $14.

MILL ST., 1216, Wilkinsburg—Two rooms for light housekeeping; bath, every convenience; $8 per month.

MONONGAHELA ST., 4817—Nice large furnished room, for two gentlemen; all conveniences.

NEW GRANT ST., 732½—Furnished rooms and lodging by week or day.

NOBLE AVE., 143, Crafton—One furnished room; board optional.

OAKLAND SQUARE, 53 South—Newly furnished rooms, all conveniences, reasonable rent. P. & A. telephone 832-K.

PEEBLES ST., 506, Wilkinsburg—Furnished front room, all conveniences; East Pittsburgh cars.

PENN AVE., 949—Two connecting rooms, first floor, for doctors, dentist or office use or roomers.

PITT ST., 317, Wilkinsburg—Furnished parlor bedroom, all conveniences; gentlemen only.

PITT ST., 323, Wilkinsburg—Fine furnished rooms, bath, gas, near cars and station.

PRIDE ST., 6, between Fifth and Colwell—Nicely furnished room.

PRIVATE family desires to rent well-furnished room; best location in Wilkinsburg, with all conveniences; handy train and cars; price moderate. Address N 163, The Gazette.

ROBINSON ST., 158—Three nicely furnished bedrooms, private family, all modern conveniences.

SECOND AVE., 1653, near Marion station—Neatly furnished rooms, board, gentlemen preferred, references.

SECOND AVE., 525—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences, with board.

TO single gentleman, large front room, furnished, near Hotel Kenmawr. Address H 163, The Gazette.

WATSON ST., 803—Nicely furnished front room on second, third floor, for gentlemen.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5833—Two large, nicely furnished rooms; suitable for gentlemen; all conveniences.

ALDER ST., 5824—Large nicely furnished second floor room, fine location; conveniences.

ATWOOD ST., 313—Large nicely furnished rooms; terms reasonable; modern conveniences; gentlemen.

ATWOOD ST., 432—Two newly-furnished rooms, connecting, suitable for gentlemen or married couple.

ATWOOD ST., 422—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; good location.

AURELIA ST., 6419—Nicely furnished middle room, all conveniences.

BAXTER ST., 36, near Braddock—Nicely furnished front room; every convenience; near cars.

BROAD ST., 6027—Furnished or unfurnished rooms; board optional; private family.

BROWN ST., 715 Bradley place, Shadyside—Furnished rooms for gentlemen; terms moderate.

BUTLER ST., 3550—Second flat; two very large furnished rooms; convenient location.

BUTLER ST., 3703—Two neatly furnished rooms, single or together; all conveniences.

CAROLINA ST., 350—Two neatly furnished rooms, all modern conveniences; gentlemen only.

CAROLINA ST., 350—Three unfurnished rooms, every modern convenience; laundry, cellar.

CENTER AVE., NO. 1543—Room; extra large second floor front; four large windows; corner house; all nicely furnished; suitable for clerk, salesman or gentleman; all conveniences; cars pass door.

CENTER AVE., 4617, near Craig—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; good board near.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

CENTER AVE., 5432—En suite or single.

COLLINS AVE., 508—Nicely furnished rooms, gentlemen preferred; all conveniences.

COLLINS AVE., 700—Furnished front alcove room, gentlemen only; all conveniences; private family.

COLLINS AVE., 816—Elegantly furnished rooms, second floor; desirable location; all conveniences.

COLLINS AVE., 341—Two neatly furnished rooms, single or en suite; convenient location.

CRAIG ST., 319, South—Elegantly furnished rooms, desirable location, near all cars, boarding.

DENNISTON AVE., 131—Neatly furnished rooms; every convenience; desirable location; gentlemen preferred.

EAST END—An attractively furnished room, Highland ave. district, all modern conveniences; 'phone service; trained nurse or business woman preferred; reference. Address R 185, The Gazette.

ELSINORE SQ., 3204, Oakland—Nicely furnished front room; private family; all conveniences.

ELSINORE SQ., 3210, Oakland—Nicely furnished room in private family; all conveniences.

ELLSWORTH AVE., 5888—Furnished front room for two gentlemen; convenient, reasonable; references.

ELLSWORTH AVE., 5747—Large nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; near Roup station and cars.

EMERSON ST., 210—Large, newly furnished and papered rooms; all modern conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

EMERSON ST., 216—Large nicely furnished rooms; gentlemen only; prices reasonable.

EMERSON ST., 247—Large, nicely furnished front room; all conveniences; desirable location.

FIFTH AVE., 3608—Furnished rooms, all conveniences; gentlemen. Bell 'phone 812 S. Schenley.

FIFTH AVE. and Atwood st.—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

FILMORE ST., 4614—One or two neatly furnished rooms, gentlemen; conveniences, near Craig.

FOR RENT—Furnished house in Shadyside from June 1 to September 1; silverware and linen furnished; low rent to right party; Bell 'phone 2114-R Highland, or E 188, The Gazette.

FORTY-THIRD ST., 241—Three neatly furnished rooms, every accommodation; convenient to cars.

FORTY-FOURTH ST., 333—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences.

FORBES ST., 4608—Nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; references. 'Phone 9871 J, Schenley.

FORBES ST., 1325—Large pleasant front room, both gases; adults, reasonable.

FRANKLIN AVE., 207, Wilkinsburg—Two neatly furnished rooms; gentlemen only; desirable location.

FRANKSTOWN AVE., 7026—Two nicely furnished rooms, en suite, if desired.

FRANKSTOWN AVE., 7026—Two nicely furnished rooms and three unfurnished rooms, en suite if desired.

HARVARD ST., 5905—One neatly furnished front room; modern conveniences; gentlemen only.

HARVARD ST., 5713—Large, nicely furnished room; bath, gas, gentlemen; desirable location.

HIGHLAND AVE., 353—Nicely furnished second-story rooms; rates low; all conveniences.

HOWE ST., 5304—Nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; good neighborhood; private family.

HOWE ST., 5601—Nicely furnished rooms, with bath; gentlemen preferred; reference required.

IVY ST., 725—Furnished front room, second floor, private family; convenient to Fifth and Ellsworth car lines.

IVY ST., 808—Large, nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

KELLY ST., 6927, E. E., city—Two rooms for light housekeeping.

LAKE ST., 331—Nice unfurnished frooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

LARGE, handsomely furnished rooms, with all modern conveniences; good location; private family; price reasonable. Address C 185, The Gazette.

LIBERTY AVE., 5117—Nicely furnished second floor room, bath, all modern conveniences.

MARCHAND ST., 6323—Neatly furnished second and third floor rooms; up-to-date conveniences. Gentlemen only.

MARGARETTA ST., 5910—Nice large furnished pleasant rooms; suitable for two gentlemen.

MELWOOD ST., 343, near Center ave.—Large front room; suitable for married couple; baths; other rooms; pleasant location; private family.

MEYRAN AVE., 248—Large nicely furnished front room, all conveniences; gentlemen only.

NEVILLE ST., 211, below Fifth—Nicely furnished rooms, gentlemen only; all conveniences.

MIGNONETTE ST., 5639—Neatly furnished second floor front; convenient location.

NORTH EUCLID AVE., 708—Nicely furnished front room; all conveniences; board optional.

NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 311—Neatly furnished room; every convenience; desirable summer location.

NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 518, E. E.—Second-floor connecting rooms; bath; for young men.

NEGLEY, near Fifth ave.—Nicely furnished rooms, porch, shade, private family; gentlemen; reasonable; address H 197, The Gazette.

NEGLEY AVE., 300, S.—Rooms with excellent table board; references required; conveniences.

OAKLAND AVE., 239—Large, well-furnished second story front room; all conveniences; prices reasonable.

OAKLAND AVE., 239—Large nicely furnished second-story front room; gentlemen preferred; all conveniences; rent moderate.

PARK AVE., 217—Nicely furnished rooms, private family, all conveniences; car lines.

PARK ST., 420—Nicely furnished front room for gentlemen; all conveniences.

PACIFIC AVE., 247—Second floor front room, near Penn ave.; gentlemen.

PENN AVE., 5476, near Fairmount—Two nicely furnished rooms; every convenience; gentlemen.

PENN AVE., 5639—Second floor, neatly furnished front room; every convenience.

PRINCETON PLACE, 322—Third flat, pleasantly furnished front room. Call after 6.

PRINCETON PLACE, 330—Nicely furnished rooms, bath, gas, near cars and station.

PRINCETON PLACE, 326—Pleasant front room; $10 one, $12 two.

RIPPEY ST., 5913—Large nicely furnished room. Price reasonable; all conveniences.

ROSEDALE ST., 602—Large furnished front room, all conveniences; desirable location.

SHERIDAN AVE., 530—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; Bell 'phone 372 W, Highland.

SOUTH LANG AVE.—Nicely furnished front room; private family; all conveniences; suitable for one or two gentlemen; with or without board. Address D 152, The Gazette.

SOUTH HIGHLAND AVE., 103—Nicely furnished or unfurnished rooms with bath.

SHETLAND AVE., 120—Nicely furnished front room, light housekeeping; all conveniences.

S. HIGHLAND AVE., 334—Offices, suitable for physician; also furnished rooms on second floor.

SPAHR ST., 241—Two large cheerful furnished rooms; newly papered; all conveniences.

SHADY AVE., 434—Large nicely furnished rooms; excellent board.

SHADY AVE., 210—Fine large furnished room, second floor, for gentlemen; private family.

SHADY AVE., 210—Fine large furnished room, second floor, for gentlemen; private family.

SHADY AVE., 210—Large, nicely furnished room; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

STATION ST., 6226—Neatly furnished room, all conveniences, near cars and station.

WALNUT ST., 6106—Two medium rooms, furnished, as sitting room and bedroom; suitable for two gentlemen.

WARD ST., 327, opposite Beech's pharmacy—Three neatly furnished rooms, every convenience, desirable and handy to cars; gentlemen.

WALNUT ST., 5528—Neatly furnished room, all conveniences, desirable location.

Allegheny.

AN elegant suite of rooms on second floor, suitable for three gentlemen; water in room; all modern conveniences; delightful location; 10 minutes' walk to business center of Pittsburgh. Address F 200, The Gazette.

ARCH ST., 1403—Nicely furnished front room; bath; both gases; gentlemen preferred.

ARCH ST., 509—Two neatly furnished rooms, conveniences; walking distance to Pittsburgh.

BIDWELL ST., 1117—Two large newly furnished front rooms; suitable for two, with bath; private family.

BRYANT AVE., 17, Bellevue—Three squares from High bridge, two furnished rooms; all conveniences, near good board; private family.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 307, Avalon—Neatly furnished second floor room; conveniences; for gentlemen.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 46, cor. Sweeney—Very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

CEDAR AVE., 1002—Second floor, elegantly furnished front rooms, overlooking park; bath, both gases; 10 minutes' walk to city; gentlemen preferred.

ESPLANADE ST., 1213 ALLEGHENY.
A private family at above address have a spare furnished room front or rear for rent. Excellent location, one square from cars, 15 minutes' walk to Pittsburgh. Use of bath, both gases. Everything convenient. Terms moderate. Call and investigate or 'phone Cedar 1249 L.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

Allegheny.

E. LACOCK ST., 214—Furnished double parlors, second floor; bath, both gases; also front room; gentlemen.

E. JEFFERSON ST., 105—Nicely furnished second floor front room; $10 month.

E. NORTH AVE., 388—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; bath, gases; water in kitchen; laundry.

ESPLANADE ST., 1306—Furnished rooms; bath, gases, housekeeping if desired; near parks.

FEDERAL ST., 1415—Two communicating light housekeeping rooms; furnished complete; hot and cold water, gases; use of bath, laundry and cellar.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; conveniences; inquire 207 W. Ohio st.

FREMONT ST., 1786, Allegheny—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences.

HEMLOCK ST., 206—Large airy front room; newly furnished; board if desired. Private family. Terms moderate.

ISLEWORTH 1316, Allegheny ave.—Elegant furnished rooms with board; front room, suitable for four men; cars pass door.

JACKSON ST., 819—Two neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; walking distance to Pittsburgh; gentlemen preferred.

KNOLL ST., 514—Nicely furnished rooms for two gentlemen.

LOCUST ST., 1403 — Two neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences; rent single or en suite; Western ave. car.

LOCUST ST., 1245—Two desirable furnished rooms, bath, both gases; board if desired.

LIBERTY ST., 620—Neatly furnished front room, second floor, for gentleman, $1.50 week.

LOCUST ST., 1403—2 nicely furnished rooms, all conveniences; housekeeping if desired.

MARION AVE., 18—Furnished rooms for three; facing park; rent reasonable.

NORTH AVE., 915, near Grant ave.—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences. Desirable neighborhood.

NORTH AVE., 911, WEST — Two furnished rooms; all conveniences; rent reasonable.

NORTH AVE., W., 308—Desirable furnished front room; conveniences; facing park.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

LAWRENCE P. MONAHAN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 433 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. In the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county. In the matter of the petition of Clarence Pettit for decree of satisfaction of a mortgage. No. 840 June term, 1904. To Peter J. Maitland, or the heirs or legal representatives of Peter J. Maitland, or James Riddle, or the heirs or legal representatives. Take notice that the petition of Clarence Pettit respectfully represents: That he is the owner of a certain lot or piece of ground situate in the Fourth ward of the city of Allegheny, formerly Ross township, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, being the same land described in a certain mortgage given by Robert Dunlap to Peter J. Maitland, dated the 3d day of May, 1839, acknowledged the 4th day of May, 1839, and recorded in the office for the recorder of deeds, etc., in and for said county in Mortgage Book, vol. 7, page 526, calling for the payment of $1,869 in the following manner, to-wit, $623 on or before the 1st day of October, 1839; $623 on or before the 1st day of October, 1840; $623 on or before the 1st day of May, 1841, with interest from November 1, 1838, payable annually, and assigned of record on July 7, 1840, to one James Riddle.

The said lot of ground as described in said mortgage is as follows: A certain lot or piece of ground situate in Reserve tract, Ross township, opposite the Northern Liberties of Pittsburgh, being lot No. 24 in plan of lots laid out by G. E. Warner and Jacob Painter, containing in front on Canal street fifty (50) feet, and extending back to a street fifty (50) feet wide.

That the money secured to be paid by said mortgage has been due much more than 21 years before the date of this petition, and no payment or demand for payment of principal or interest has been made on account of said mortgage debt within 21 years prior to the date of this petition by the present owners or by any purchaser in title, nor has the same so far as known been recognized in any manner whatever within said period of 21 years or for a much longer period.

That said mortgage has not been satisfied, released or otherwise discharged of record.

Petitioner knows no person or persons now or interested in said mortgage, except the mortgagee, Peter J. Maitland, about whom petitioner can ascertain no knowledge whatsoever, except that there is a presumption that he died many years ago, and James Riddle, assignee under said mortgage, who died many years ago, and the names and residences of his heirs, as well as of the heirs of Peter J. Maitland, are unknown to petitioner.

And now, to-wit, May 14, 1904, the within petition presented in open court, and ordered to be filed, and the 16th day of June, 1904 at 10 o'clock a. m., is fixed for the time for hearing and disposing of said petition. Now, therefore, I, James W. Dickson, sheriff of Allegheny county, hereby gives notice to all persons interested in the mortgage mentioned in said petition who can be found within the county, and to all parties interested in said mortgage whose residences are unknown, by publication in The Pittsburgh Gazette once a week for four weeks, requiring all parties interested to appear in court on the 16th day of June, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. to answer said petition, or show cause why the prayer thereof should not be granted, and the land described in said mortgage released and discharged from said mortgage and its payments.
JAMES W. DICKSON,
Sheriff of Allegheny County.

IN RE PETITION OF ROBERT B. WARD, for satisfaction of mortgage: In the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, No. 530, July term, 1904. To the heirs and legal representatives of Alexander McKenzie and George McKenzie, late of Beaver county, Pa., deceased. Take notice, that Robert B. Ward has presented his petition to the above named court, at the above number and term, averring that on the 4th day of October, 1860, John Herron made his certain mortgage to Alexander McKenzie and George McKenzie for $4,000, on certain property then situated in Pitt township, (now in the Thirteenth ward of the city of Pittsburgh), Allegheny county, containing 17 acres 106 perches, as in said mortgage more fully described, which mortgage was duly recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county, in Mortgage Book vol. 39, page 459. That said mortgage was fully paid and discharged more than twenty years before the making of said application, but was not properly satisfied of record; that petitioner is now the owner of parts of the property described in said mortgage, and praying that the court will order said mortgage to be satisfied according to law. You are therefore required to appear at the next term of said court on the first Monday of July, 1904, and answer said petition and show cause, if any you can, why the prayers thereof should not be granted. James W. Dickson, sherif of Allegheny county. J. M. Shields, attorney for petitioner, 503 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh.

HENRY O. EVANS, ESQ., 614 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Friday, June 10, 1904, by W. R. Warren, Robert Latimer, William H. Graham, W. A. Dinker, Henry O. Evans and others, under the act of assembly of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "The Christian Worker Company," the character and object of which is to conduct a general printing and publishing business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of assembly and its supplements. Henry O. Evans, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on May 31, 1904, by E. Mead Whippo, Grant C. Broomall and Richard F. Smyth, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called The Whippo Company, the character and object of which is maintaining, operating and conducting a general brokerage business, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Lee & Mackey, solicitors.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 7th day of May, 1904, the Canada Lumber Manufacturing Company filed its petition in the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, at No. 777 June term, 1904, praying for a decree of dissolution, and that a hearing upon said application for decree of dissolution has been fixed by said court for Saturday, June 11, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons interested may attend and show cause against the granting of the prayer of the said petition if they so desire. Watson & Freeman, attorneys for petitioner.

WEIL & THORP, Attorneys-at-Law, 822 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Joseph G. Arnold, deceased, late of Allegheny, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate and requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Samuel Weinhaus, administrator, 947 Liberty avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

EMILY SILVER MINING COMPANY of Utah. Notice—An application will be made to the proper authority of the state of Utah by the stockholders of the Emily Silver Mining Company of Utah for the purpose of reincorporation, to substitute the expired charter of said corporation.
THOS. J. HUDSON,
WM. D. MOORE,
JNO. T. DENNISTON,
Committee.

JUSTUS MULERT, receiver in bankruptcy, will offer at public auction, Saturday, May 28, 1904, at 10 a. m., on the premises, 700 Smithfield st., corner of Bissell Block, the barroom furniture and fixtures, kitchen utensils, stock of liquors and other personal effects formerly the property of Joseph F. Carr, now bankrupt. For terms and transfer of license apply at office of Justus Mulert, receiver, 421 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa. S. S. Robertson, attorney, Frick Bldg.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Festus Madden, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. J. J. Clunan, Administrator, No. 225 Ulysses st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, on May 7, 1904, at No. 600 March term, 1904, has made a decree changing the name of William John Ross to William John Ross Baird.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—Do you know a good painter? If so, have him do your work; if not, send for P. J. BYRNE. All kinds of painting done in the best manner with the best material. 634 Fifth ave. Both telephones. 711 Forbes st.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
Furniture 20 per cent less than you could buy it for last week; ask your neighbor.

PROF. WHITNEY—Phrenologist and clairvoyant at 709 Arch st., Allegheny.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

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PATENTS.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 305 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

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HENRY AUCTION CO.,
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MONEY TO LOAN—We want a mortgage for $1,200 or $1,500; cash ready; bring your deed.
ELDERKIN-STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

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Building loans on same terms.
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INDIVIDUAL will loan money at 6 per cent, 2d mortgages, notes or heirs to estate. Box 603.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS for stationery, supplies, etc., for the several departments of the state government of Pennsylvania, also the furnishing of the new capitol building with carpets, furniture, electric fixtures, etc., etc.:
Office of
The Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings.
Harrisburg, Pa.
Commissioners:
Samuel W. Pennypacker, governor.
W. P. Snyder, auditor general.
W. L. Mathues, state treasurer.
J. M. Shumaker, superintendent.

In compliance with the constitution and laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, we hereby invite sealed proposals, at prices below the maximum rates fixed in schedules, to furnish stationery, fuel and other supplies for the several departments of the state government, also the furnishing of the new capitol building with carpets, furniture, electric fixtures, etc., etc., for making repairs in the several departments, and for the distribution of the public documents, for the year ending the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1905.

Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts awarded as announced in said schedules. Each proposal must be accompanied with a bond, with at least two sureties or one surety company, approved by a judge of the court of common pleas of the county in which the person or persons making such proposals may reside, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and addressed and delivered to the board of commissioners of public grounds and buildings, at the office of its superintendent, Harrisburg, Pa., before 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 7th day of June, A. D. 1904, at which time the proposals will be opened and published in the reception room of the executive department, and contracts awarded as soon thereafter as practicable.

Special attention is called to the schedule for the furnishing of the new capitol building, plans and specifications for which can be seen at the office of Joseph M. Huston, architect, 1102 Witherspoon building, Philadelphia, Pa.

Blank bonds and schedules containing all necessary information can be obtained at this department.
J. M. SHUMAKER,
Superintendent.
For the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings.

MEETINGS.

Reading Company,
General Office, Reading Terminal,
Philadelphia, Pa., May 23, 1904.
NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of this company that the annual meeting and election for nine directors to serve for the ensuing year will take place in room No. 423, Reading terminal, Twelfth and Market streets, in the city of Philadelphia, on Tuesday, June 7, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon. By order of the board of directors.
W. R. TAYLOR, Secretary.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
A special meeting of the stockholders of the Diamond National bank of Pittsburgh will be held at its office, Liberty and Cecil way in the city of Pittsburgh, county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, on the 6th day of June 1904, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock of said bank from five hundred thousand ($500,000.00) dollars to six hundred thousand ($600,000.00) dollars. D. C. Wills, cashier.

NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the United States and Nicaragua Company will take place at the company's office, room 411, Farmers Bank building, Wednesday, June 1, 1904, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.
UNITED STATES & NICARAGUA CO.,
WM. M. REES, Secretary.

NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the Great Central Railway Company, will take place at the company's office, room 411, Farmers Bank building, Wednesday, June 1, 1904, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.
GREAT CENTRAL RAILWAY CO.,
WM. M. REES, Secretary.

NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the Santa Maria Mining Company will take place at the company's office, room 411, Farmers Bank building, Wednesday, June 1, 1904, for the election of officers for the ensuing year.
SANTA MARIA MINING COMPANY.
F. H. LLOYD, Secretary.

LOST.

SHANAHAN TRANSFER & STORAGE CO.,
FURNITURE MOVERS, (TEL.)
FURNITURE PACKERS, (1840)
FURNITURE STORAGE, (GRANT.)
SEPARATE APARTMENTS,
PADDED VANS FOR MOVING,
WAGONS FOR MOVING,
ONE-HORSE WAGONS FOR HIRE.
MAGEE STREET, NEAR FIFTH AVENUE.

LOST—Sunday, May 22, in vicinity of Leetsdale or Mount Sewickley road, a pocketbook containing $30, 16-trip ticket, etc. Finder will please notify W. J. Fyan, 609 Try st., Sewickley, and receive liberal reward.

LOST—Pocketbook containing railroad passes, union cards, checks and $5 bill. Suitable reward will be paid for return to F. E. Carroll, circulating department, The Gazette.

LOST—Lady who took pocketbook from basket in Kaufmann's store is known and unless returned will be prosecuted. If returned no questions. E 152, The Gazette.

LOST—Small silver watch, with fob, Saturday afternoon between Fifth ave. and Sixth st. bridge. Return to room 42, 222 Fifth ave.; reward.

PICKERING'S WAREHOUSE SALE.
Furniture 20 per cent less than you could buy it for last week; ask your neighbor.

LOST—Flute case, Saturday, on P. R. R. train 10, East Liberty, Wilmerding; return to 22.0 Woodstock ave., Swissvale; reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, small size, with initials engraved on back, A. R. S.; reward offered. Address X 151, The Gazette.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
Allegheny, Pa., April 20, 1904.
The firm of Knoedler & Moeller has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Henry Knoedler continues the business and will settle all accounts of said firm.
J. A. C. MOELLER.
HENRY KNOEDLER.

EASTERN STOCK MARKET FIRM AT AN ADVANCE

Small Gold Exports, Easy Money, and a Nervous Short Interest Factors in the Rise—Pittsburgh Market Very Dull.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was dull but strong. Nearly everything on the list advanced, and the close was at substantial net gains for the day. There was considerable increase in the volume of trading at the opening, and initial prices were from ¼ to ¾ per cent higher than Saturday's close. The strength and activity originated within Wall street, the London market having been closed, and while the dealings fell off as the session progressed, the firm tone was well maintained.

Factors in the upward movement were the light gold engagements, the extreme ease in call loan rates, and better reports of growing crops and a nervous short interest. There was a scarcity of stocks for sale, and the execution of comparatively small buying orders had more effect upon prices than at any time last week. Less than $1,000,000 gold was engaged for shipment for today's European steamer. It is probable that the engagements would have been larger but for the fact that the supply of gold bars at the New York assay office has again been exhausted, and some shippers deferred their engagements until Thursday. Still, there was an easier tone to sterling exchange, and the amount of the shipments to date fill the estimates that were made three weeks ago by prominent foreign banking houses. The feeling is growing, therefore, that the gold movement is nearing an end. This feeling was reflected in the market for call loans, the rate decling to 1 per cent during the afternoon, rising to 1½ per cent, but closing offered at 1 per cent, and the last loan was made at the latter figure. Thus the call loan market is again practically at the lowest of the year. The grain markets reflected the reports of better crop conditions, wheat being very nervous and closing lower. The absence of selling pressure in the stock markets continues to be one of its most prominent features.

As an offset to these favorable factors there were additional reports from trade centers of a contraction in the volume of business, both industrial and mercantile, and there is a growing sentiment that business will not improve until there has been a complete readjustment of the commodity prices to equalize the reduced buying power of the public.

U. S. Steel issues were among the strongest in the market, and the preferred and the sinking fund bonds were quite active. The common stock rallied to 9½ and closed at 9⅝ bid. The preferred stock rose to 55¼ on large transactions, but subsequently reacted slightly and closed at 54⅞, a net gain of ¼ over Saturday's close. The sinking fund bonds advanced to 73⅝ and closed at practically the top. Amalgamated Copper was notably strong, and after reacting to 49⅞ shortly after the opening advanced to 51⅜, the highest reached on the present movement. There probably never was a more widely distributed bull tip than at present on Amalgamated, and probably it was never received with more skepticism. If the professional traders follow their usual tactics and "copper" this tip, it will be an easy matter to engineer a still further rise. The remainder of the industrial list was dull and irregular. U. S. Realty and Construction preferred opened strong at 63¼, but sold off to 62. Consolidated Gas opened at 209¼ and declined to 208. Both these stocks closed at about the lowest.

Among the specialties Brooklyn Rapid Transit was active and strong. The stock advanced 1 per cent to 47¾ on large transactions, and closed near the highest. Professional traders express very bullish opinions on this stock. Aside from the report that the earnings for the first fifteen days of May showed an increase of $50,000, no specifications attended the bullish talk. Metropolitan and Manhattan each advanced a point.

Union Pacific was the leader in the railroad list, but the advances in the latter, while general, were not so large as in the industrials. Reports from Chicago stated that the eastbound roads were receiving an enormous tonnage, owing to the strike on the lakes, and that there was a full supply of cars, which should assure good earnings for these particular lines. Atchison, St. Paul and Rock Island advanced an average of about ¾ per cent, but did not retain all the gain at the close. Pennsylvania was steady within a half-point range, and closed at 114¾. Reading advanced a small fraction to 44½ and closed at 44.

On the Pittsburgh Stock Exchange the market was unusually dull, the sales reaching only 1,644 shares. Of this total 600 shares consisted of Pittsburgh Coal preferred, which declined to 55½ and recovered to 55¾. U. S. Steel common and preferred were both strong, but Crucible was almost entirely neglected, only 19 shares of the preferred changing hands all day. Westinghouse Electric scored the largest advance, selling up to 78½. The session of the bank call was the dullest yet held.

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
125 Brewing	*24⅛	24¾	24¾	—¼
100 Cons. Ice......	6	6	6	—⅛
19 Cruc. Steel pfd.	*36¾	36¼	36¼	—¼
135 Fire Proofing...	7½	7½	7¼	0
135 Luster Mining..	12¾	12	12	—1
10 Pgh. Coal......	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	—⅛
600 Do preferred.	55¾	55½	55¾	0
100 U. S. Steel....	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	+⅝
200 Do preferred.	54¾	54½	54¾	+1
10 W. Airbrake...	130	130	130	+1
205 W. Elec. 2ds..	78½	77¾	78½	+1¼
BANK STOCKS.				
5 G. A. S. & T...	150	150	150	—1
1644				
SCRIP.				
$52.50 P. Coal p. div.	†100¼	†100¼	†100¼	0

*Less than 10 shares. †Per cent.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

50 Brewing com. 24¾	100 P. Coal pfd.. 55½
50 U. S. Stl. pfd. 54½	100 U. S. Stl. com. 9⅝
100 P. Coal pfd.. 55½	10 W. Airbrake..130

10:30 A. M. to 12 M.

50 U. S. Stl. pfd. 54⅝	50 P. Coal pfd... 55¾
5 Crucible pfd.. 36¼	40 do............ 55¾
4 do............ 36¾	10 do............ 55½
50 Brewing com. 24¾	100 do............ 55½
25 Fireproof com 7½	$17.50 P. Coal div.
10 do............ 7½	scrip.*100¼
	5 G.Am. S. & T.150

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

25 Electric 2nd.. 77¾	100 U. S. Stl. pfd. 54¾
35 do............ 78	50 Fireproof com. 7½
10 do............ 78	10 P. Coal com.. 14⅞
5 do............ 78	10 Luster 12¾
10 do............ 78	50 P. Coal pfd... 55½

2 to 3 P. M.

100 Cons. Ice com. 6	50 Luster 12
15 P. Coal pfd.. 55½	50 do............ 12
50 do............ 55¾	25 do............ 12
50 do............ 55¾	50 Fireproof com. 7¼
20 do............ 55¾	10 Crucible pfd.. 36¼
15 do............ 55¾	5 Brewing com.. 24⅞
50 Electric 2nd.. 78¼	20 do............ 24¾
50 do............ 78½	$35 P. Coal div.
20 do............ 78½	scrip.*100¼

*Per cent.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Bank of Pittsburgh..........	50	146	150
Farmers Deposit National....	100	....	1327
Federal National	100	....	200
Fourth National	100	....	163
Lincoln National	100	240	....
Metropolitan aNtional	100	180	....
Trades & Mechanics..........	50	70	....
Safe Deposit & Trust, Pgh...	100	....	425
Iron City Trust.............	100	....	120
Dollar Savings Fund & Trust	100	....	341
Manufacturers Light & Heat.	50	29½	30
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	38	38¼
Peoples Pipage	25	19½	....
Citizens Traction	50	65	....
Luster Mining	10	12⅝	13
West. Electric 2d pfd.......	50	78	78½
Consolidated Ice	50	6	6¼
Do preferred	50	35	38
Crucible Steel	100	4½	4⅝
Do preferred	100	36½	37
Monon. River Coal pfd.......	50	25	25½
Marsden	100	2¾	4
National Fire Proofing......	50	7¼	....
Do preferred	50	28¼	28½
Philadelphia Co.............	50	37⅝	....
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24⅝	25
Do preferred	50	44¼	44¾
Pittsburgh Coal	100	14¾	15½
Do preferred	100	55⅝	56
Standard Underground Cable	100	178	185
United States Steel	100	38	40
Do preferred	100	54⅛	55⅛
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	129	....
Monongahela Incline	50	62	....
BONDS.			
B., K. & A. Traction 6s.....	....	114½	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s..	....	....	99
Monon. Light & Power 5s...	....	103¼	....
Monon. River Coal 6s.......	....	110½	....
North Side Bridge 6s.......	....	95	....
Philadelphia Co. 5s........	....	108	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s......	....	113	....
Monongahela Street Railway.	....	113	....
Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s......	....	101½	....

LOCAL BANK CALL.

Only five shares of stock changed hands at the local bank call yesterday. Comparatively little interest was taken in quotations, which were nominally unchanged. Followings bids and offers were made for less than 50-share lots:

	Bid.	Ask.
Federal National (new)............	..	195
German National	..	253
North American Savings............	110	112
Commonwealth Trust	..	190
Colonial Trust	..	350
Pittsburgh Trust	410	430
German-American Sav. & Trust....	150	..
Industrial National	..	126
Real Estate Trust.................	225	240
Equitable Trust	..	170
Fidelity Title & Trust............	450	455
Allegheny Trust	..	145
Lincoln National	240	245
Merchants Savings & Trust.........	..	58
Homewood Peoples Bank.............	..	50
Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A..........	146	148
Guarantee Title & Trust...........	..	181
Second National, Allegheny........	375	..
Duquesne National	..	290
Land Title & Trust................	..	100
Central Savings & Trust...........	..	50
Diamond Savings	..	200
Iron City Trust...................	..	120
Third National	150	160
Keystone Bank	335	380
Mortgage Banking	..	125
South Side Trust	..	110
Monongahela National	..	300
Dollar S. F. & T., Allegheny......	..	341
Continental National	..	85
Home Trust	120	125
Union Trust	..	2300
Pittsburgh Life & Trust...........	..	100
Bankers Trust	..	90
Cosmopolitan National	..	110
Exchange National	82	..
Braddock Trust	..	250
Safe Deposit & Trust..............	390	400
Potter Title & Trust..............	..	100
Washington National	..	161
German Trust	..	154
Iron & Glass Dollar Savings.......	225	300
Inter. Savings & Trust............	20	25

UNITED STATES STEEL BONDS.

When Steel preferred becomes weak, as it did last Monday, selling down to 51⅝, Wall street confidently predicts that the bottom is about to drop out of the stock. When it rallies, as it did yesterday, selling up to 55½,—a gain, by the way, equivalent to a half year's dividend—there is a crop of rumors to account for the movement. A private dispatch received late in the day by a prominent Pittsburgh brokerage house stated that new interests had been buying the preferred stock during the recent decline, and there were reports of changes in the personnel of the management which would make the Frick influence, backed by the Rockefellers, dominant in the corporation. A dispatch to another house said that 50,0000 shares of the preferred had been delivered to brokers who represent Morgan interests exclusively.

Commenting upon the rumors, a Pittsburgher prominent in financial and industrial circles said:

"As to the Frick influence being dominant, it may be said that ever since Mr. Schwab resigned the presidency, Mr. Frick has given more of his personal attention to the affairs of the corporation than at any time previously. It is also generally believed that Mr. Frick was the choice of the Rockefeller interests for the presidency, but they could not prevail upon him to accept it.

"As to the present condition of the steel trade, it is very unsatisfactory, and looks like getting worse before it is better. If there is no improvement between now and the middle of July I think it is almost inevitable that the dividend on the preferred stock will be reduced. I have reason to know that the holdings of influential people in the corporation are larger in the sinking fund bonds than in the preferred stock, and that they will assert their influence toward safeguarding the interest on the bonds, even if dividends on the preferred are temporarily reduced."

PITTSBURGH COAL SECURITIES.

A great deal of interest was manifested in local financial circles in the letter addressed by President F. L. Robbins to the Union Trust Company relative to the properties of the Pittsburgh Coal Company and the prospects of the corporation. It was generally admitted that the actual property value behind the bonds was more than ample to safeguard the principal, while the statement of comparative earnings assured the interest under most adverse conditions. Holders of the stock were particularly interested, however, in the statement of President Robbins that "we expect in the near future to get our output up to 20,000,000 tons per annum, and when we do so the company should easily earn, after deduction of all sinking funds, $10,000,000 per annum." This was regarded as an extremely optimistic estimate, since it would mean earnings of more than $5,000,000 after paying interest on the bonds and the full 7 per cent dividend on the preferred stock, which would be applicable to dividends on the common stock, now quoted on a market value of about $4,500,000.

Some disappointment was expressed that the letter had so little effect upon the stock market. There was only one sale of the common, which closed nominally quoted at 14¾ bid, 15½ asked, while 600 shares of the preferred changed hands at 55½@55¾, closing unchanged for the day.

FEATURES OF THE DAY.

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $7,621,386, an increase of $314,000.

Stock market very listless, sales reaching only 1,644 shares.

Westinghouse Electric was strong, advancing to 78½ and closing at 78 bid.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred declined to 55½ and recovered to 55¾.

United States Steel rallied to 9⅝ and the preferred to 54¾, closing at 54⅛ bid.

Only five shares changed hands at the regular bank call.

IN WALL STREET.

Stock market moderately active and prices closed higher.

United States Steel preferred led the advance, selling up to 55¼.

Amalgamated Copper advanced to 51⅜ and closed at 50¾.

Railroad stocks gained small fractions and closed steady.

Sales for the day foot up 334,000 shares stock and $1,670,000 bonds.

Call loans declined to 1%. Less than $1,000,000 gold engaged.

SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS.

Investors who think bonds will sell on a still higher income basis and wish to purchase short-term securities to bridge over the period of decline, find the short-term bonds and notes of which there are so many now in the market very attractive. Some of these issues are here given:

	Due	Price (& int.)	Yield.
Am. Tel. & Tel 5% gold coupon notes....	May 1, 1907	100⅝	4.80
A., T. & S. F. 4% serial deb. "C" to "L".	Feb. 1, 1905-14	..	4.50
B. & O. R. R. 4% notes	May 1, 1906	99⅝	4.62
Canad. Imp. 5% notes)gtd. by Prov. of Ont.)	May 1, 1906	101	4.50
Cen. Crosstown R. R. (eMt. St. Ry.) 5% notes	May 1, 1906	100¼	4.90
C. & O. Ry. 5% notes.	Aur. 4, 1906	100½	4.70
C., B. & Q. extended 4% bonds	July 1, 1906	100	4.00
C., R. I. & P. Ry. 4½% notes	April 1, 1905	100	4.50
Great No. Ry. 5% ster. notes	Dec. 1, 1905	100⅜	4.50
Hock. V. R. 5% partic. ctfs	June 28, 1906	100½	4.75
Mo. Pac. Ry. 5% notes	Feb. 10, 1906	100½	4.70
Nat. R. R. of M. 5% gold notes	Oct. 1, 1905	99¼	5.30
Penna. Co. (Gtd. by Pa. R. R.) 4½% notes	Oct. 1, 1905	100¼	4.30
Pr. Steel Car Co. 5% notes	Feb. 1,'06-11	100	5.00
Sea Air Line 3-5 yr. 5% bonds	Mch. 1, 1907	87½	9.10
Southern Ry. coll. 5% bonds	April 1, 1909	100⅝	4.85
South. Pac. coll. 4% bonds	Dec. 1, 1905	99½	4.80
St. L. & S. F. coll. 4½% notes	Dec. 1, 1908	89½	7.30
St. L. & S.F.5% notes.	Sept. 1, 1904	100	5.00
St. L. & S.F.5% notes.	Mch 1, 1905	99½	5.75
Un. Pac. 5% notes.....	Feb. 1, 1906	100⅝	4.12
Wabash 5% notes.....	June 1, 1907	99⅝	5.10

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Despite the listlessness of the local market yesterday, there was a somewhat more cheerful feeling among traders. If there is a sustained rally in Wall street, it will eventually stimulate more activity here.

National Fire Proofing common sold at 7½ and reacted to 7¼. No sales occurred in the preferred, but it closed firmer at 28¼ bid.

Consolidated Ice common sold at 6 and closed at that price bid, a decline of ½ from the last previous sale.

Crucible Steel common was nominally quoted at 4½ bid, 4⅝ asked. Only 19 shares of the preferred sold, but the market closed at 36½ bid for quotable lots. The public is evidently waiting for some information relating to the affairs of the company before renewing interest in the stock. If no statement is forthcoming before the annual meeting next October, that gathering is likely to be the most interesting ever held by the corporation.

Activity in Westinghouse Airbrake subsided, the sales reaching only 10 shares at 130. The closing bid was 129 for 50 shares.

It required purchases of only 200 shares Electric seconds preferred to advance the price 1¼ points to 78½, the market closing at 78 bid.

On the exchange $5,000 West Penn Railway & Light subscriptions were offered at 90.

Announcement is made that the firms of Lytle & Davis and Hazlett & Co. have been dissolved, and that the firm of Davis, Hazlett & Co. has been formed. The new firm will continue the business at the old offices of Lytle & Davis, second floor, Park building. Asa P. Davis is the floor representative.

Messrs. Speyer & Co. and Harvey Fisk & Sons, as will be seen in an advertisement in another column, are offering for subscription at 97 and accrued interest the unsold balance of the new Cuban loan of $35,000,000. In issuing the new loan the Republic of Cuba, besides the usual pledge of good faith and credit, created a special permanent tax upon different articles, such as strong liquors, wines, beers, artificial waters, matches, tobacco, sugar and playing cards. This special permanent tax is to remain in force during the life of the loan or any part thereof. The taxes for the first five months of their operation, ended March 31, last, yielded $1,407,792 in United States gold. By the contract which the government of Cuba concluded with Speyer & Co. on May 11, last, the government assigned as special security for the loan, to have precedence over any subsequent assignments, 15 per cent of the customs receipts of the republic, an amount equal to which is to be paid weekly to Speyer & Co., in New York, or to their agent in Havana. The customs receipts of the Cuban republic for the fiscal year ended June 30, last, amounted to $14,638,454 United States gold, and for the nine months ended March 31, 1904, they reached $12,988,046, thus showing a considerable increase over the previous year.

A petition has been signed by members of the New York stock exchange requesting the governing committee to close the exchange on Saturday, May 28.

From April 7 to date gold exports foot up $57,479,827.

A number of one of the largest dry goods jobbing firms in New York says: "Our spring business has been exceedingly poor and is away under our trade in 1903. What business we have transacted has been done on a very small margin of profit. This is caused to a great extent by the unseasonable weather conditions prevailing over the greater part of the country which has prevented large sales of drygoods, especially in the south and the southwest. Our salesmen report that retail men in all sections of the country evince no desire to buy on a large scale."

The directors of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock, payable June 15.

A dividend of 3 per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the Columbus Gas Light Company, payable June 15 to stockholders of record on June 1.

The gross earnings of Chicago Northwestern for April decreased $465,000.

Following is a specimen of the gossip circulating in Wall street yesterday, evidently intended to unsettle the confidence of the bears: "It is learned on high authority that powerful interests who maintain that they have had the situation entirely in control ever since August of last year, have planned to make a determined drive this week against the extensive short interest which is at present outstanding. It is learned that two wings of the Standard Oil party are at work for higher prices. It is stated that the stocks which will be given special attention are Union Pacific, Atchison, Steel preferred, Consolidated Gas and possibly Reading, Copper and Brooklyn Rapid Transit."

A Paris rumor stated that Russia contemplated floating a new war loan of $500,000,000.

The Castle Shannon Savings and Trust Company is breaking ground for a new building in Poplar avenue, Castle Shannon.

SPECULATIVE FEELING WAS MORE CHEERFUL

Stocks Strong Yesterday, but Without Much Change, If Any, in Conditions.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 24.—The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says:

Stocks were strong throughout the entire session yesterday, easing off a trifle near the close under the influence of profit-taking sales, but ending in improvements which were distributed generally throughout the list and which in a number of cases reached substantial proportions. It could not be said of the business that it showed any pronounced change in character, nor was it well distributed. Commission house operations were little, if any increased, and professional buying and manipulation was most apparent. Short covering furnished the chief support to the market, and repurchases by bear traders, apparently, made up about nine-tenths of the business. Speculative sentiment was, however, more cheerfully inclined. That fact was self-evident, but the movement of the day appeared to be the result of a change in sentiment without much, if any change in conditions.

The news of the day was of mixed variety, but news had little, if any, influence on prices. The favorable bank statement of Saturday seemed to have more effect on traders than any other feature in the market. Railway traffic returns were contradictory and inconclusive, while the reports as to freight movement at Chicago were again of a character which told of a conservatism and business contraction. The news bearing upon labor disturbances was less satisfactory than last week, and told of increased tension in that quarter. Crop and weather advices were somewhat more favorable, but cereals were influenced by other considerations, and cotton was advanced sharply, in the face of very unsatisfactory trade conditions, by the arrival of a "bull leader" from New Orleans. There were no new gold engagements, probably because a "blanket" order to take all the bars produced is lodged with the assay office.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is firm at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$7,621,386 14	$1,653,811 23
Last week..........	6,084,664 16	1,077,504 15
Last year...........	7,307,244 70	1,288,985 75

Banks and Treasury.

NEW YORK, May 23.—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out Saturday $443. Total thus paid since Friday, $1,021, against $2,686 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,618,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,236,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $382,000 paid by government to banks. Total net payment by government to banks since Friday, $8,015,000, against $3,866,000 paid by banks to government for the corresponding period a week ago, and $37,400 paid by banks to government a year ago.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $165,386,268; gold, $63,839,194; silver, $22,369,880; United States notes, $8,295,006; treasury notes of 1890, $187,910; national bank notes, $14,034,180; total receipts this day, $1,783,983; total receipts this month, $32,049,567; total receipts this year, $483,661,738; total expenditures this day, $1,640,000; total expenditures this month, $35,130,000; total expenditures this year, $534,283,599; deposits in national banks, $127,752,790.

Electric Stocks at Boston.

West. com. 76	Mass. Electric 18
Edison Elec. Il....234	Do preferred...... 79
Genl. Electric 156	

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Close Bid.
18100	A., T. & S. F...	69¾	70⅝	69⅜	69¾
300	Do preferred...	92	92½	92	92½
	Am. Cot. Oil.....	27¾	28	28¾	27
5700	Am. Sug. Ref....	126¼	128⅛	126	126⅝
	Do preferred....	126	126	126	124
2200	Am. Locomotive.	19¼	20½	19¼	20¼
300	Do preferred...	82¾	82⅞	82½	82¼
100	Am. Car Found'y	17¼	17¼	17¼	17⅛
300	Do preferred...	70	70	70	70¼
	American Can...	....	....	....	8⅝
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	35
44100	Amal. Copper....	50¼	51⅜	49⅞	50¾
600	Anaconda Copper	74¼	76	74	74
1700	Am. Smlt. & Ref.	49½	50¼	49½	49½
700	Do preferred...	95¼	95⅜	95¼	95⅜
600	American Ice....	6¾	7¼	6¾	7¼
200	Do preferred...	27	27¼	27	27¼
2900	B. & O..........	78⅝	79⅛	78½	78⅞
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	90¾
	Brook. Rap. T...	46¾	47¾	46⅝	47⅝
800	Can. Pacific.....	117½	118	117½	117⅝
700	Chi. & G. W....	14⅞	15¼	14⅞	14¾
2800	Cons. Gas.......	209¼	209¼	208	208¼
100	C. C. C. & St. L.	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
300	Ches. & Ohio....	30¼	30½	30¼	30½
300	Chicago & Alton.	37⅜	37⅞	37⅜	37½
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	80½
200	Chi. & N'w......	170	170	169⅞	169
400	Col. Fuel & Iron.	28¾	29¼	28¾	28½
100	Corn Product.....	11¼	11¼	11¼	11
100	Do preferred...	66¼	66¼	66¼	66
1100	Col. Southern....	15½	16	15½	15¾
300	Do 1st pref....	52¼	52½	52	52
500	Do 2nd pref....	21	21¾	21	21½
300	D. L. & W......	268½	270¾	268½	270½
900	Del. & Hudson..	155	155¾	155	155½
13300	Erie	24	24⅜	23⅞	24⅛
1700	Do 1st pref....	59¼	59¾	59⅛	59¼
1500	Do 2nd pref....	34¾	35¾	34¾	35
200	Genl. Electric....	156½	156½	156½	156½
100	Hocking Val.....	61	61	61	61
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	78
100	Illinois Central...	129½	129½	129½	129⅝
	L. E. & W.......	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28½
1400	L. & N..........	108	108¼	108	108
5300	Manhattan	143½	144½	143½	143½
4800	Missouri Pacific..	90⅝	91¼	90⅝	91
600	M. K. & T. pref.	35¼	35½	35¼	35⅝
9200	Metropolitan	111	112	111	111⅝
3000	Do Securities...	77½	79	77½	78¼
4100	Mexican Central.	7⅝	7⅝	7¼	7½
1300	National Lead...	19¼	19½	19¼	19¼
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	90½
	National Biscuit.	44⅝	44⅝	44⅝	44½
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	106
1200	N. Y. Central...	114½	115¼	114½	114⅝
2200	N. Y., O. & W..	21¼	21½	21¼	21⅝
	Norfolk & W....	....	....	....	56⅝
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	85
100	N. Am. Co......	82¼	82¼	82¼	81
100	Peoples Gas.....	95¼	95¼	95¼	95⅝
200	Pacific Mail.....	26½	26½	26½	26¼
100	Pr. Steel Car....	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝	25½
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	66½
16400	Penna. R. R....	114⅝	114¾	114¼	114⅝
	P., C., C. & S. L.	....	....	....	60
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	91
	Railway Springs.	....	....	....	16½
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	73
13200	Reading	44	44½	43¾	44
	Do 1st pfd.....	....	....	....	78½
200	Do 2d pfd.....	61	62	61	62½
7300	Rock Island.....	21½	21⅞	21¼	21⅜
700	Do preferred...	65	65	65	65
500	Republic Iron....	6⅞	7	6⅞	6½
1500	Do preferred...	38	40	38	39
9500	Southern Pacific.	46⅝	47	46⅝	46¾
300	Southern Ry.....	20⅝	20⅞	20⅝	20¾
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	82½
15500	St. Paul	140¼	141½	140⅜	140⅞
100	S. L. & S'w pfd.	32¾	32¾	32¾	32
3100	Tenn. C. & I....	34	35	33¾	34½
300	Tex. & Pacific...	21¼	21⅝	21¼	21⅝
200	Tol., S. L. & W.	24½	25	24½	24
300	Do preferred...	38	38¼	38	38½
5900	U. S. Steel......	9⅝	9½	9⅛	9⅝
51800	Do preferred...	54⅜	55¼	54⅛	54⅞
	Do 2s 5% bds.	73¼	73⅝	73¼	73½
19400	Union Pacific....	84½	84⅝	83⅞	84¼
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	91¼
300	U. S. Rubber....	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
200	U. S. Leather....	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
200	Do preferred...	79⅝	79⅝	79⅝	79½
500	U. S. R. & C....	7½	7½	7½	7¼
1800	Do preferred...	63¼	63⅝	62	62½
	Wabash	....	....	....	18¾
1300	Do preferred...	34½	34¾	34½	34¾
200	W. U. Telegraph.	86½	86½	86½	86⅝
	Wheel. & L. E..	....	....	....	15
	Do 1st pfd.....	....	....	....	42
	Do 2d pfd.....	....	....	....	24
200	Wis. Central.....	17¼	17¼	17	16¾
400	Do preferred..	39¼	39¼	39	38½
1000	West. Elec. 2 pf.	155¼	156	155¼	155¼
300	M.,S.L. & S.S.M.	62½	62½	62½	62½
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	118½
	Rubber G. Mfg..	....	....	....	15
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	77
	Va. Car. C Co...	27½	27⅝	27½	27⅝
	Do preferred...	....	....	....	100
200	Denver & R. G..	....	....	....	20¾
200	Do preferred...	67½	67½	67½	66½
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	INACTIVE LIST.				
200	Chi. Un. Trac...	....	5½	5½	5⅝
200	Chi. Ter. Trac...	....	8	8	8
700	Do preferred...	....	17	16⅞	16¾
100	Corn Products...	....	11¼	11¼	11¼
100	Do preferred...	....	66¼	66¼	65⅝
210	D. & R. G......	....	20	19¾	20
200	Do preferred...	....	67½	67¼	67½
100	Detroit So. Ry..	....	8	8	8
800	K. C. & S. pfd..	....	39	38½	39
300	M.S.P. & S.S.M.	....	62½	62½	62⅝
3300	Met. Subs.......	....	79	77½	78½
500	M., K. & T. com.	....	16¼	15¾	16¼
800	Twin City......	....	95¼	94¾	95¼
560	Va. Car.—Chem.	....	27¾	27½	27½
1000	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	....	156	155⅛	155⅜

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Do coupon..... 105⅝	M. & St. L. 4s.. 95¼
U. S. new 4s, reg. 132⅝	M. K. & T. 4s.... 100½
Do coupon..... 132⅝	Do 2nds 77½
U. S. old 4s, reg. 106⅝	Nat. Mex. con. 4s. 74½
Do coupon..... 106⅝	N. Y. C. g. 3½s. 99
Atchison gen. 4s. 100⅝	N. J. C. gen. 5s. 131
Do adjt. 4s.... 91	North. Pacific 4s.. 104¼
Atl. Coast L. 4s. 94¾	Do 3s........... 72¾
B. & O. 4s...... 100⅝	N. & W. con. 4s. 98¼
Do 3½s......... 95	Ore. S. L. 4s & P. 94⅝
Cent. Georgia 5s. 107	Penna. conv. 3½s. 94¾
Do 1st inc..... 76	Reading gen. 4s.. 98⅝
C. & O. 4½s..... 104	St. L. & I. M.c.5s. 114
C. & Alton 3½s.. 78½	St. L. & S. F.fg.4s. 82
C. B. & Q. n. 4s. 94⅝	St. L. S'w 1sts... 94
C.M. & St.P.g.4s. 109¼	Seab'd A. Line 4s. 70¼
C. & N'w con. 7s. 129	South. Pacific 4s.. 91⅝
C. R. I. & P. 4s. 69¼	Southern Ry. 5s.. 119
Do col 5s....... 79¾	T. & P. 1sts...... 118⅝
C.C.C.& St.L.g.4s. 101	T. St. L. & W. 4s. 70
Chi. Term. 4s.... 76	Union Pacific 4s.. 104⅝
Cons. Tobacco 4s. 60	Do conv. 4s...... 97
Col. & South. 4s.. 84½	U. S. Stl. 2nd 5s. 73½
D. & R. G. 4s.... 98½	Wabash 1sts...... 115⅝
Erie prior lien 4s. 98½	Do Deb. B...... 59¼
Do gen. 4s...... 86	W. & L. E. 4s.... 89¼
F. W. & D. C.1st. 107⅝	Wis. Cent 4s..... 90¼
Hock. Val. 4½s.. 106½	*Col. Fuel c. 5s... 70⅝
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*Offered.

Total sales, par value, $1,670,000.

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Amer. Elevator.. ⅛	Inter. Salt 5s..... 42¼
Amer. Chicle 87	Man. Transit 1⅞
Do preferred... 77	Mon. & Bos. Cop. 7-16
Amer. Tin Can... 3⅝	N. Ams. Gas 5s.. 106¼
Do preferred... 35	New Orleans Ry.. 8¾
Bay State Gas... ¼	Do preferred.... 27
British Columbia. 1¾	Do bonds 73
Brooklyn Ferry.. 5¼	N. Y. Transit.... 4½
Cent. Foundry... 1¼	North. Securities. 97¼
Do preferred... 7½	Otis Elevator..... 29
Electric Boat..... 25	Do preferred.... 83
Do preferred... 60	R. Bak. P. pfd... 101⅛
Electric Vehicle.. 5½	Seab'd Ald Line.. 7⅞
Do preferred... 9	Do preferred.... 16¾
Greene Con. Cop. 15¼	Standard Oil 615
Havana Com..... 25	Tennessee Copper. 30
Do preferred... 35	Trust of America.. 225
Int. Mer. Mar.... 3	Union Copper .... ⅝
Do preferred... 14¾	Tonopah 8
Inter. Salt....... 10	White Knob 6½

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Cement ... 7⅝	Penna. Steel 42
Amer. Railways.. 44¾	Do preferred.... 75
Cambria Steel ... 19	Philadelphia Co... 38⅛
Cambria Iron ... 46	Do preferred.... 44
Cons. Trac. N. J. 65	Phila. Traction... 95½
Diamond Steel .. ¼	Phila. & Erie..... 48
Do preferred... ½	Phila. Elec. Co.. 5 8-16
Elec. Stor. com.. 55	Reading 21¼
Elec. Co. Amer.. 8¼	Rys. Co. Genl.... 1½
Lehigh Nav...... 73½	Sus. Iron & Steel. ⅝
Lehigh Valley .. 38	Tidewater Steel... ½
Marsden 3	Do preferred.... 2½
Nat. Asphalt 11	Union Traction.... 49⅞
Do preferred... 30	United Cos. N. J. 266
N. Haven I. & S. 2	United Gas Imp... 82⅞
Penna. R. R..... 57⅝	Warwick Iron ... 4
	Welsbach Co...... 18

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison adjt. 4s.*91	Am. Ar. Chem.pfd†72
Do 4s.........100¼	Amer. Pneu Tube. 4½
Mexican Cent. 4s.†66	Amer. Sugar 126¾
Atchison 70⅛	Do preferred.... 125¾
Do preferred... 92⅝	Am. Tel. & Tel.. 124
Boston & Albany. 243	Amer. Woolen ... 10
Boston & Maine. 166½	Do preferred.... 74
Boston Elevated.†141½	Dom. Iron & Stl. 10
Fitchburg pfd.... 135	Mass. Gas 48¼
Mexican Central.. 7½	United Fruit 110½
N. Y. N. H. & H. 186	United Shoe Mach. 49
Pere Marquette.. 78	Do preferred.... 28½
Union Pacific 84	U. S. Steel 9½
Am. Arge. Chem. 14	Do preferred.... 54⅛

*Bid. †Asked.

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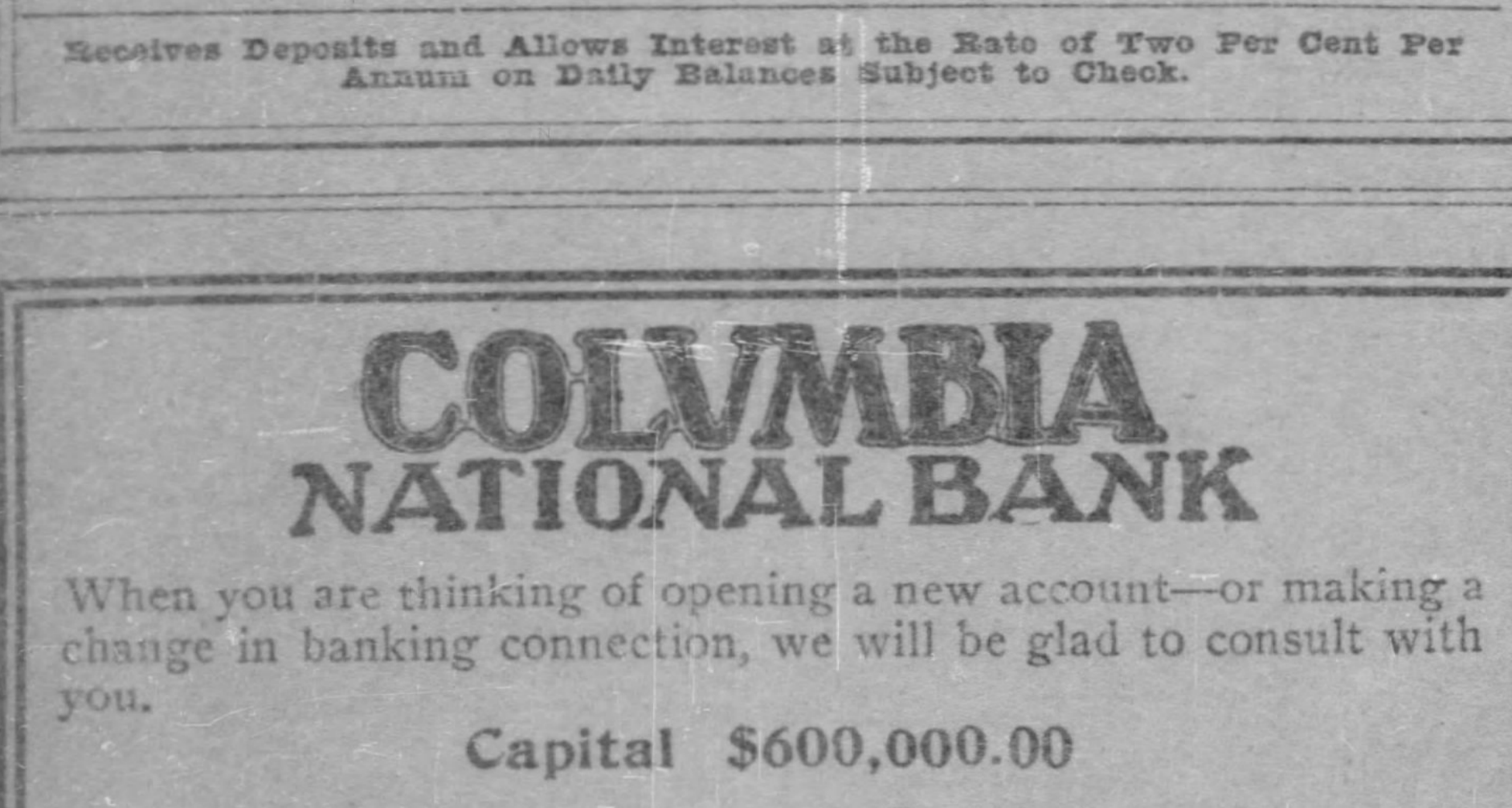

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BUTTER STILL LOWER; EGGS ARE ADVANCED

Adjustment Made on Flour Quotations—Coffee Is Steady. Onions Ease Up.

The Elgin butter board made a reduction of one cent yesterday and local quotations have been changed accordingly. Good demand for butter and other conditions in the local market caused some dealers to be surprised at the reduction; they had not looked for a change this week. Eggs are quoted a half cent higher. Good stock has been scarce for some time and select are now bringing as high as 18½ cents a dozen, a high price for this season. No change is reported in cheese.

Some of the biggest jobbers in the city were getting $5 30 and $5 35 for spring patent flour yesterday, the change having been made in the way of an adjustment to meet local conditions. The condition of the flour market justifies higher prices. For the first time in many years winter wheat is scarcer and higher than the best grades of northern spring wheat. A majority of the winter wheat mills are closed down entirely. Winter flour is selling here, in a jobbing way, at about $5 05. Export demand has been light on wheat and flour for about six weeks, but the domestic demand is increasing and will be sufficient to use up the available supply of old wheat. Local jobbers say that Pittsburgh is having better railroad service with flour than at any time during the past two years. The coffee market is steady. Although the visible supply is large, according to reports, there is a great scarcity of useful grades, and many are waiting to buy the grades they want out of new crop arrivals in June and July.

Onions are easier and quotations have been changed all around, except on Texas stock. Fancy tomatoes are quoted higher. Bananas are in good demand and so are oranges and other fruits. New cantaloupes sold at $4 a crate yesterday, much lower than last week. Business was reported good on potatoes, especially old stock. No change in strawberries; good stock is still hard to get and neither the Carolina nor Tennessee stock are very tempting. Maryland will soon arrive, however.

On the hay and grain exchange yesterday oats offered at 47½ cents and bids were not higher than 46 cents. Quotations have been reduced one-half cent on oats of all three grades. No. 1 timothy hay is moving more freely, but prices are still holding; offerings were at $17 50 yesterday, and sales were reported at $17. No change in the situation on corn or mill feed. Arrivals were pretty heavy yesterday.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined—Pennsylvania, 50 cars hay, 5 cars straw, 24 cars oats, 1 car rye, 1 car screenings, 1 car corn, 1 car corn and oats. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 8 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car feed, 1 car wheat, 1 car corn. Baltimore & Ohio, 19 cars hay, 2 cars corn, 9 cars oats.

Hay, No. 1 timothy	$17.00@17.50
do No. 2	$16.00@16.50
No. 1 clov.	$11.25@11.75
No. 1 mix	$12.50@13.00
Loose, from wagon	$15.00@17.00
Straw, oat	$10.50@11.00
do wheat	$11.50@12.00
do rye	$15.00@15.50
Oats, No. 2 white	47@47½c
do No. 3	46½@47c
do No. 4	46@46½c
Rye, No. 2 Mich.	81@82c
White middlings No. 1 ton	$25.00@26.00
do brown	$23.00@23.50
Wheat, No. 2	
Bran, ton	$23.00@23.50
red	97@98c
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled	59@60c
High mix	57@58c
No. 2 mix	54@55c
No. 2 yellow ear	61@62c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$5.30@5.35
Fancy winter patent	$5.05@5.10
Straight win	$4.50@4.55
Bakers' spg	$4.25@4.50
Rye	$4.30@4.35
Graham	$4.75@4.80
Cornmeal bbl	$3.10@3.20
do 10-lb cotton bags	16½@17c
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.40
do kegs	$2.70
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	13@15c
Santos	22½@23½c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	17½@18c
Golden Rio	14@14½c
Caracas	18@18½c
Standard pkgs	$10.55@11.05
High gr'd	$17.80@19.20
Molasses, fancy refined	35@37c
do choice	32@35c
do open ket	38@40c
Syrup.	
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple, gal	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@25c
2½-lb cans, doz	$1.90
3-lb cans, doz	$1.10
5-lb cans, doz	$1.85
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40
Maple, gal	75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl	$5.90
do kegs	$3.10
Sugar, sta. gran	4.90c
do bags	4.85c
do 2-lb carton	5.05c
do 5-lb bags	5.05c
do powdered	4.95c
do pow'd xxxx	4.95c
do cubes	4.90c
do cut loaf	5.15c
do coff. A	4.50@4.60c
do No. 1 yellow	4.30c
do No. 2 yellow	4.25c
do No. 3 yellow	4.20c
Beans.	
Navy, choice H. P.	$1.95@2.00
do prime H. P.	$1.95
Red kidney	$3.30@3.35
Cal. lima, lb	4½@5c
Peas, dried, bu	$1.20@1.25
do split, lb	4c
do marrow, bu	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg	12¼c
do headlight	13¼c
do water white	13½c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	13¼c
do miners'	25¾@45c
do Elaine	16½c
do special brands	26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6½@7c
do fancy Japan	4@4½c
do choice Carolina	5¼@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.00
do No. 1 extra	$1.10
do gran. rock	95c
do pocket	$1.55@1.85
do dairy	$1.30
Lentils, fancy, "6-O," lb	4½c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.10
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California, L. C.	$1.65@2.25
do Maryland	$1.45@1.65
do California, Y. F.	$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy	$1.35@1.75
do std	$1.20@1.35
Cherries, Cal. white	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.20@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	70c
do 3-lb	95c
Stringless beans	$1.20@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	90@95c
do early June	95c@$1.00
do soaked	55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans	$2.15@2.20
Pineapples	$1.20@2.25
Plums, California	$1.55@1.60
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.35
do standard	80@90c
do gal	$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc	75@95c
Salmon, doz	95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats	$1.00@1.20
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls	$1.85@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.35@2.40
do 1-lb cans	$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¾s	$2.65
do French	$9.50@18.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$30.00
do half bbl	$15.50
do quar. bbl	$8.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$24.00
do half bbls	$12.40
do quar. bbls	$6.25
do 20-lb pails	$3.00
do 10-lb pails	$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.40
do quar. bbls	$5.50
do 20-lb pails	$2.20
do 10-lb pails	$1.25
do No. 2 Irish 50-lb tubs	$6.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.75
do 30-lb	$1.40
do 10-lb	53c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags	10@12c
do 25-lb boxes	10½@12½c
Apples, bulk	6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons	7½@8c
Peaches	7@10½c
Raisins, seeded 1-lb pkg	7@7½c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes	6@6½c
do Ondaria Val.	8@8¼c
do Cal. Val.	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs	6¾@7c
Prunes	3@8c
Figs, Cal.	6@9c
do Turk	12½@14c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$6.75@7.00
do mammoth	$6.85@7.10
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch	$10.25@12.00
Alsike	$7.50@8.00
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
Millet	$1.35@1.50
Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.10
do lawn, lb	16@18c
do blue, 14-lb bu	$1.65@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Timothy	$1.55@1.60

NUTS.

Filberts	10c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c
S. S. almonds	15c
Tarr. almonds	15c
Mixed	10c
Brazil	9c
Dried Italian chestnuts	7c
Shellbarks, bu	$1.75@2.00
Pecans	10c
Peanuts, fancy, roasted	$1.66
do choice	$1.30

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, store	$1.25@1.30
do track	$1.10@1.15
do Bermuda, bbl	$5.00@5.50
do New Orleans, bbl	$5.00@5.25
do Florida, rose	$5.50@5.75
Jersey swe'ts	$1.50@1.65
Seed potatoes, early Ohio, bu	$1.35@1.50
Onions, Egyptian, sacks	$2.75@3.00
do Bermuda, crates	$2.00@2.10
do Texas bermudas	$2.00@2.10
Texas silver skins	$2.15@2.25
do southern, bags	$2.15@2.25
do southern, bbls	$4.00@4.25
Green onions	12½@18c
Cucumbers, hothouse	75@90c
do southern, bu	$1.50@1.75
do bbl	$4.50@5.00
Green peas, per bu	$1.75@2.00
Cabbage, per crate	$2.50@3.25
Parsley, doz	40@50c
Radishes, doz	30@40c
Kale, bu. ham	90c@$1.00
Lettuce, home, doz	50@90c
do Ashtabula, basket	30@35c
do North Carolina, Carolina, bu. hamper	$1.00@1.25
Garlic, lb	8@9c
String beans, green	$1.50@2.00
Wax beans	$2.00@2.25
Rhubarb, home raised	20@30c
Watercress, doz	40@50c
Brussels sprouts, quart	18@20c
Squash, new, per crate	$1.00@1.25
Carrots, doz	75@85c
Florida tomatoes, 6-basket carrier, fancy	$2.50@2.75
do choice	$1.50@2.00
Spinach, bbl	$1.75@2.00
do hampers	40@50c
Asparagus, Maryland	15@25c
do home raised	65@75c
Honey, new	13@14c
Beets, new	75@90c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Horseradish, bbl	$7.50@8.00
Egg plant, hamper	$3.00@3.50
Strawberries, Tennessees, crates	$2.50@3.00
Carolinas, crates	$3.50@4.00
do per qt	10@12½c
Peppers, 6-basket carriers	$2.50@3.00
Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
Green corn, Florida, doz	35@40c
Cantaloupes, Fla., per crate	$4.00@4.50

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	14@15c
New spg. chicks	30@35c
Roosters	9@10c
Turkeys	13@14c
Live ducks, lb	11@12c
Geese	8@9c
Dressed hens	16@17c
Broilers	22c
Roasters	18@19c
Turkeys	20@23c
do fresh dressed	17@18c
Roosters	13@14c
Ducks	19@20c
Long Island ducklings, lb	28c
Capon, lb	23@25c
Squab, doz	$4.25
do No. 2	$3.00
Ducks, mallard, pair	$1.50@1.75
do teal	$1.00
do blue bill	$1.25
do ruddy	$1.25
do red head	$1.75@2.00
do canvasback	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz	$5.50
do black plover	$4.50
do grouse	$2.50
do partridges	$2.25
English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
Large frogs, doz	$3.50@4.00
Snappers, per lb	10c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina	$2.75@3.25
do California	$2.40@2.50
Limes, per 100	$1.50
Oranges, California, navel	$3.00@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.75@3.00
Figs, cartons	75@90c
Bananas 1sts	$2.50@3.00
do 2nds	$1.75@2.00
Pineapples, crate	$3.25@3.50
Grapes, Almeria	$3.50@6.00
Grape fruit	$5.00@5.50
Apples, fancy, bbl	$3.00@3.50
do choice	$2.00@2.25
do Missouri, per box	$1.75@2.25
Cherries, California, 10-lb boxes	$3.00

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	21½@22c
Tubs	21@21½c
Ohio cream	18½@19½c
Dairy	10½@11½c
Country roll	10@10½c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, old	10c
do new	9½c
do ¾ cream, new	7½@8c
do Ohio Swiss	12@12½c
do 5-lb brick	12½@13c
do Wis. Swiss tubs	15½@16c
do 20-lb block Swiss	15½@16c
do imported	27@27½c
do Limberger, new	12½@13c
do old	15@16c
do Brickstein	13½@14c
Eggs, candled	18@18½c
do southern	16½@17c
Duck eggs	25@30c
Goose eggs	35@45c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up	11½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	10¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	10¾c
10 lbs and under	10¾c
Skinned	12c
Boneless boiled	18½c
California	8¾c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	10¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10¼c
do back strips	10c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	11c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	10c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	8c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	8½c
do under 16 lbs	8½c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	9c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9¼c
do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
do under 16 lbs	9½c
Lard, pure, tierces	7c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	8c
do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights	7c
No. 1 green bulls	6c
Calfskin, No. 1	10c
do No. 2	8c
Green salt or cured No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs	9c
do No. 2	8c
Cows and light No. 1	8c
do No. 2	7c
Calfskin, No. 1	11c

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Butter easier; receipts, 6,823 pkgs; creamery, common to choice, 14@19½c; state dairy, common to extra, 13@16c. Cheese strong; receipts, 396 pkgs. state full cream, small colored, choice, 8c; do fair to good, 7¼@7¾c; do small white choice, 7¾c; do fair to good, 6¾@7c; large white and colored, choice, 7½c; do fair to good, 6¾@7c. Eggs weak; receipts, 15,132 pkgs; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 20@21c; firsts, 17½@18c; western storage selections, 17@18c; southern inferiors, 13@14c.

CHICAGO, May 23.—Butter easy; creameries, 14@18½c; dairies, 12@17c. Eggs easy at mark (cases included), 15@15¼c. Cheese easy; new goods, 7¾@9¼c.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 23.—Butter weak and 1c lower; extra western creamery, 19½c; do nearby prints, 21c. Eggs steady; fresh nearby, 17c at mark; do western, 17½c at mark; do southwestern, 17c at mark; do southern, 15@16c at mark. Cheese weak and lower; New York full creams, choice to fancy, 8½@8¾c; do fair to good, 7¾@8¼c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, May 23.—The coffee market opened dull at unchanged prices to a decline of five points. Owing to the holiday abroad there were no European cables and the news from primary sources was without special feature. The market accordingly showed little movement, remaining quiet during the entire session, with fluctuation comparatively unimportant. The close was quiet, net five points higher on June, five points lower on July and August, and unchanged on other positions. Sales were reported of 19,000 bags, including July at 5.70@5.75c, September at 5.90@5.95c, December at 6.20c and March at 6.45@6.50c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 7-16c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 15-16c; molasses sugar, 3 3-16c. Refined firm; crushed, 5.60c; powdered, 5.00c; granulated, 4.90c. Petroleum easy; refined, all ports, 8.10@8.15c.

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Pittsburgh Coal Company

First Mortgage Five Per Cent. Sinking Fund Gold Bonds for One Thousand Dollars Each, Dated January 1st, 1904, Due January 1st, 1954. Interest Coupons Payable July 1st and January 1st.

Total Authorized Issue, $25,000,000.00

SECURITY.

These bonds have the following security:
(1) An absolute first lien on about 160,000 acres of Pittsburgh Coal and 13,000 acres of surface, which is shown by map to be within 25 miles of Pittsburgh, and by collateral trust are further secured by 7,000 acres of Hocking Valley coal and 8,400 acres of Pittsburgh coal held under leases, thus making a total of over 175,000 acres of coal.
(2) By collateral trust these bonds are further seceured by
(a) 4,300 railroad cars.
(b) Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Company, Montour Railroad Company and Pittsburgh & Moon Run Railroad Company.
(c) Properties, docks and distributing stations of subsidiary companies at Duluth, Minnesota; Milwaukee, Ashland, Manitowoc and Sheboygan, Wisconsin, and Escanaba, Michigan, Ashtabula, Ohio, and other points. These properties are more particularly described in the letter of the President of the Pittsburgh Coal Company.

THE UNION TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, TRUSTEE.

Principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States, of the present standard of weight and fineness, and without deduction of any tax or taxes now or hereafter imposed by the United States, or any State, County or Municipality therein, which under present or future law said Company may be required to pay, deduct or retain therefrom.

These bonds may be exchanged for registered bonds of $5,000, $10,000, $50,000 or $100,000 each, which registered bonds may again be exchanged for coupon bonds.

SINKING FUND.

The mortgage provides for a sinking fund of five (5) cents per ton for each ton of run-of-mine coal mined, and the minimum payment must amount to $600,000 in each year, whether any coal is mined or not, and **this Sinking Fund can be used only for the purchase of the bonds of the Company.**

The bonds are subject to call at 110 and accrued interest at any interest date, as provided in the mortgage.

The bonds and mortgage were prepared by Messrs. Reed, Smith, Shaw & Beal and William Watson Smith, Esq., of Pittsburgh, and all legalities connected with the issue have been under their advice and supervision.

For further particulars as to the property and security, reference is invited to the following letter of the President of the Pittsburgh Coal Company:

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH COAL COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, PA., May 11, 1904.

THE UNION TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH,

Dear Sirs:—The $25,000,000.00 of bonds issued by the Pittsburgh Coal Company of Pennsylvania, and guaranteed by this Company, have for security the following property of the cash values mentioned, viz.:

	CASH VALUE.
Net Cash Assets—after providing for all Bonds, Mortgages, Bills and Accounts Payable, and all outstanding liabilities	$ 6,000,000 00
160,000 acres of Pittsburgh Coal, at $300.00	48,000,000 00
Improvements on same at cost	12,020,715 26
7,000 acres of Hocking Valley Coal, at $200.00	1,400,000 00
Improvements on same at cost	512,314 62
13,000 acres surface, Pittsburgh District, at $100.00	1,300,000 00
4,000 acres surface, Hocking District, at $50.00	200,000 00
4,300 railway cars, at cost	2,504,112 35
Lake Erie Docks, Car Unloaders, Lighters, etc	600,269 86
10,000 shares Pittsburgh, Fairport & Northwestern Dock Company,	
10,000 shares Northwestern Coal Railway Company,	
300,000 shares of the Common Stock of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company,	
50,000 shares of the Preferred Stock of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company, subject to the terms of the purchase thereof,	
13,333 shares of the Milwaukee-Western Fuel Company,	
1,000 shares of the Pioneer Fuel Company,	
2,510 shares of the Ohio Coal Company,	
600 shares of the C. Reiss Coal Company,	
2,512½ shares of the Western Coal & Dock Company,	
7,789 shares of the Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad company,	
2,000 shares of the Montour Railroad Company,	11,439,250 00
1,000 shares of the Pittsburgh & Moon Run Railroad Company,	
	$83,976,662 59

These shares constitute either the controlling or the entire interest in each of the companies named, and by their ownership of railroads, docks, properties and distributing stations, the Company is enabled to mine, ship and market its coal to the very best advantage. No other company in this country possesses the same advantage in this respect as this Company.

In addition to the coal acreage above mentioned, the Company holds and operates under leases from the Shaw Coal Company and Midland Coal Company 8,400 acres Pittsburgh coal, and all of the coal of the company, except the Hocking Valley coal, is situate within 25 miles of Pittsburgh.

CAPITALIZATION.

The Company has capital stock outstanding as follows:

Preferred Stock	$30,716,200 00
Common Stock	30,135,000 00

The Company was organized in 1899, and has since paid regular quarterly dividends of seven (7%) per cent per annum upon all of its preferred stock.

The Company at its organization had about 80,000 acres of coal in fee and 2,700 acres under lease, located in disconnected properties, equipped with machinery and appliances to a great degree long out of date, costly and inefficient of operation, and practically no coal handling and dock facilities. During the four years of its operation additional coal lands, equipment, transportation, dock and other properties have been purchased to protect its property as a whole and to make it connected, efficient, economical and altogether modern, so far as the production and marketing of its products are concerned. In acquiring the new properties and modern equipment for these purposes, about $40,000,000.00 have been expended, of which $14,268,974.91 have been paid from the Company's surplus earnings and reserve funds.

Following is a condensed summary of the principal expenditures made since the organization of the Company for new properties and other assets not covered by the original issue of the capital stock of the Company:

Purchase of 82,524 acres of coal and 7,401 acres of surface lands in the Pittsburgh District.	
Purchase of 7,809 acres of coal and 3,782 acres of surface lands in the Hocking District of Ohio.	
Lease of 8,400 acres of coal in the Pittsburgh District, embraced in the tracts of the Shaw Coal Company and the Midland Coal Company.	$15,500,000 00
Purchase of all of the Midland Coal Company's improvements and equiments, consisting of three mines in operation, 400 miners' houses, etc., etc.	
Purchase of entire plant and equipment, including 130 coke ovens, 30 miners' houses, etc., of the Colonial Coke Company.	
Purchase of the entire plant and equipment, including 400 railway cars, of the Mansfield Coal and Coke Company.	
Completing the development and equipment of the Midland Coal Company's mines and the development and equipment of the Shaw Coal Company's mines; enlarging the plant of the Colonial Coke Company by the addition of 270 new ovens and completing equipment in connection with the same; fitting out and equipping machine shops and electrical repair shops at Scott Haven and at Woodville, Pa.; enlarging brick plant at Manown, Pa.; developing and equipping Banning No. 2 Mine; developing and equipping Idlewood Mine; completely overhauling, renewing and improving the mine properties originally purchased at the time of organization of the Company, so as to bring them up to the highest possible standard of efficiency in the production of coal at low cost.	3,000,000 00
Purchase of the yards, equipment, good will, etc., of the Pioneer Fuel Company of Minnesota, in connection with the ten-year lease of its docks at Duluth, Minn., and Gladstone, Mich.	
Purchase of the controlling interest (251-300) of the Ohio Coal Company of Wisconsin, with docks at Duluth, Minn., and Milwaukee, Wis. (the latter through the Ohio Coal Company's ownership of two-thirds of the capital stock of the Whitnall Coal Company).	
Purchase of the controlling interest (¾) of the C. Reiss Coal Company, with docks at Sheboygan, Ashland and Manitowoc, Wis., and Escanaba, Mich.	
Purchase of controlling interest (2-3) in the Milwaukee-Western Fuel Company, with docks at Milwaukee, formerly operated by B. Uhrig Fuel Company; H. M. Benjamin Fuel Company, F. R. Buell Coal Company, George S. Eastman and R. P. Elmore Company.	
Purchase of controlling interest (¾) in the Western Coal & Dock Company, with docks at Waukegan, Ill.	
Purchase of new coal unloading plant at Cleveland, Ohio, connected with the track of the Erie Railroad Company; constructing new dock of Western Coal & Dock Company at Waukegan, Ill.; constructing new dock of the C. Reiss Coal Company at Sheboygan, Wis.; enlarging and improving the docks of the Milwaukee-Western Fuel Company, the Whitnall Coal Company at Milwaukee; enlarging and renewing the docks of the Ohio Coal Company, the Youghiogheny & Lehigh Coal Company and the Northwestern Coal Railway Company, at Duluth, Minn., and the docks of the Youghiogheny & Lehigh Coal Company at Chicago, Ill., and installation of additional modern equipment at all of the docks and yards owned by this Company or its subsidiary companies on the Great Lakes.	3,500,000 00
Purchase and construction of new and standard railroad cars; constructing and equipping car shops at Montour Junction, together with additions and improvements to Montour Railroad and Pittsburgh & Moon Run Railroad.	1,600,000 00
Purchase of Capital Stock of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company and other companies.	6,200,000 00
For additional quick assets (coal in transit and on docks, other merchandise, cash accounts and bills receivable, etc.,) in excess of original assets or working capital, supplied at time of Company's organization.	10,000,000 00
Total	$39,800,000 00

EARNINGS.

The production and the net earnings of the Company have been as follows:

	Coal Mined Tons.	Coke Mfgd. Tons.	Net Earnings.
1900	12,824,559	30,004	$3,181,567 00
1901	11,929,501	19,987	3,099,538 00
1902	14,908,351	67,730	4,706,587 00
1903	15,514,618	149,842	6,751,025 00

We expect in the near future to get our output up to 20,000,000 tons per annum, and when we do so the Company should easily earn, after deduction of all sinking funds, $10,000,000 per annum.

In the above figures of acreage, production and earnings, no account is taken of those of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke Company, a controlling interest of which is owned by Pittsburgh Coal Company.

Yours truly,
FRANCIS L. ROBBINS,
President.

PITTSBURGH, PA., May 23, 1904.

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BIG ABSORPTION OF RAILROADS

Not Less Than $900,000,000 Par Value of Stocks Bought in 10 Years.

LARGE ISSUES OF SECURITIES

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—A Wall street authority has compiled statistics going to show the remarkable absorption of railroads by the big railway systems within the past 10 years. They show that not less than $900,000,000 par value of stocks have been purchased by other railroads and are permanently removed from the market. The table which follows gives a rough list of the principal purchases made since the reorganization period of 1893-1896:

Ann Arbor	$ 3,700,000
Baltimore & Ohio	51,773,000
Reading (about)	70,000,000
B., C., R. & N. (about)	7,000,000
C., R. R. of N. J.	14,500,000
Chesapeake & Ohio	30,000,000
C., B. & Q. (about)	107,000,000
C. & E. Ill.	11,320,900
C., I. & L. (about)	13,000,000
C., R. I. & P. (about)	70,000,000
Choctaw	19,827,500
C., C., C. & St. L.	11,225,000
Denver & Rio Grande	22,100,000
Evansville & Terre Haute	2,600,000
Hocking Valley (about)	7,000,000
K. C., Ft. S. & M.	28,510,000
L. E. & W.	11,870,000
Lake Shore (about)	45,000,000
Lehigh Valley	3,200,000
Long Island	6,797,900
Louisville & Nashville	30,600,000
Michigan Central	16,814,300
Mobile & Ohio	5,632,600
N. Y. S. & W. (about)	25,000,000
Norfolk & Western (about)	32,000,000
North Central	6,267,950
Northern Securities (about)	82,500,000
St. Louis & San Francisco	27,988,300
Southern Pacific	90,000,000
Wabash	8,500,000
Wheeling & Lake Erie	19,000,000
Totals	$889,727,450

There have been large issues of securities in place of the stocks purchased, many of which were bought at very high prices, as Burlington, Central Railroad of New Jersey and C. & E., Illinois, Rock Island, Lake Shore, Louisville & Nashville and so on. For example, we can total the best part of $650,000,000 of collateral trust bonds issued by the purchaseing roads for some of the stocks, apart from stock increases such as $175,000,000 of Pennsylvania and over $100,000,000 of Rock Island for the same purpose. Nevertheless it is interesting to note the disappearance of these formerly active stocks from the market.

THE ORIGINAL DOOLEY.

Dunne's Famous Character Was Drawn from Life and Objected to the Notoriety.

Like most other famous characters of fiction the great and only Mr. Dooley has, or had, rather, his counterpart in real life.

When Finley Peter Dunne was a reporter in Chicago, a decade or more ago, there was a plain, unpretentious saloon in Dearborn street, famed for the honest excellence of the whisky dispensed over its bar, and beloved of the elect because of the pungent, biting humor of its presiding genius, Jim McGarry. And it was in the person of no other than Jim McGarry that Dunne discovered Mr. Dooley.

When Dunne first met McGarry the saloonkeeper was about 70 years old, and, though age had tempered his fiercely partisan spirit and mellowed and broadened his views of life, it had been powerless to dim the sparkle of his eye or diminish the lightning flash of his penetrating humor. McGarry was a fine figure of a man, massive and well proportioned.

In common with most of the Irish race, he had a native gift for politics. But in his case it was contemplative rather than active.

Now Dunne, being a wideawake newspaper man, was not long in turning McGarry into "copy." The stories were published in Dunne's paper and made a tremendous hit. The likeness was unmistakable and McGarry suddenly found himself a national character. Modestly averse to being held up to the public gaze as a celebrity, McGarry begged Dunne to desist. The humorist obligingly assented, and metamorphosed his philosophical saloonkeeper into an Irish policeman. But the fine spirit of Dooley chafed under the brass buttons of a uniformed public servant and yearned for the accustomed and congenial environment of his bar. So Dunne set him up in the saloon business in Archey road, remote enough from Dearborn street to satisfy McGarry's objections, and here, for the first time, he appears as "Mr. Dooley."

McGarry is dead, but Mr. Dooley is immortal. And the good news that he will soon be heard from again is hailed with delight throughout the English-speaking world.

WILL DIVIDE PROCEEDS.

Three "Widows" of Des Moines Contractor Decide to Share His Estate.

DES MOINES, IA., May 23.—Three women, each claiming to be the legally wedded wife of Contractor Dubois, who died last week, met in a restaurant today, talked the situation over and mutually agreed upon a division of the estate. Simon Cassady, a prominent banker, is agreed upon as administrator of the estate which is valued at $11,000.

Mrs. Dubois No. 1, as she is distinguished from the other two wives of the contractor, resides in Des Moines and was living with Dubois at the time of his death.

Mrs. Dubois No. 2 comes from New Orleans and Mrs. Dubois No. 3 comes from Denver. They met here to attend the funeral of their 'husband."

DROWN WHILE FISHING.

Overturned Boat Tells Story of Fate of Three Wealthy Men.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 23.—John H. Thompson, a wealthy vessel owner; E. P. Stavert, inspector of the Bank of New Brunswick, and R. P. Foster, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, all of this city, have probably been drowned in the Oromocto river while fishing. A dismasted boat, overturned which the three had occupied, was found today. The bodies have not been recovered. Thomson is a member of the shipping firm of William Thomson & Co. of this city and New York.

MAY CARRY GLAZNER TO GALLOWS ON A FLANK

The death warrant for the execution of Nicholas Glazner, convicted of the murder of Margaret Hall, February 10, 1903, was issued yesterday by Gov. Pennypacker and the hanging set for July 21. Sheriff Dickson fears the condemned man will not stand the ordeal of marching to the scaffold, and preparations are being made to strap him to a plank and have him carried to the gallows.

Naval Attache Potts Recalled.

BERLIN, May 23.—(Special Cable.)—The American naval attache here, Lieutenant Commander Templin M. Potts, has suddenly been recalled under orders to join the South Atlantic squadron at Gibraltar. Commander Potts will leave here May 28. He is popular among German officers. American Ambassador Tower will give a formal dinner in his honor Friday. Prince Henry may honor the dinner with his presence. Lieutenant Commander Howard will succeed Commander Potts.

Postmasters' Salaries Increased.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—The following increases in the salaries of postmasters in Western Pennsylvania have been made, to take effect July 1: Butler, $2,700 to $2,800; Tyrone, $2,600 to $2,700; Washington, $2,900 to $3,000; Windber, $1,800 to $1,900; Ford City, [illegible] to $1,600; Titusville, $2,500 to $2,600; [illegible], $2,900 to $3,100. The following have [illegible]: Verona, $1,700 to $1,600; Vandergrift, $2,500 to $2,600.

Bitten by a Mad Dog.

[illegible] a boy living in McKeesport, [illegible] mad dog yesterday afternoon [illegible] by three policemen. This is [illegible] in McKeesport in two days.

WESTERN UNION MEN SUBPOENED

District Attorney Jerome Has Warrants Served—Jacob H. Schiff Makes a Statement.

DECISION AGAINST LEWISOHN

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, May 23.

Subpoenas in John Doe proceedings, instituted by District Attorney Jerome, were served today on two officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company, Mr. Dealy, who was superintendent of the racing department, and his assistant, Mr. Mitchell. This action, it was said at the district attorney's office, has nothing to do with the charges made against the telegraph company by Capt. F. Norton Goddard, but is the result of a raid made upon the exchange alleged to have been maintained in East Forty-second street by the Mahoney poolroom syndicate.

Actuated by the belief that the attitude of President Robert C. Clowry and other Western Union officials has been misrepresented and misunderstood in the poolroom controversy, Jacob H. Schiff, head of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who is a Western Union director, today made the following statement:

Statement by Schiff.

"Prior to reaching home last Tuesday I knew almost nothing about this matter, but was soon in possession of the facts. I had an interview the following morning with Morris K. Jesup, whom I found very much exercised over the situation, but who gave me the assurance that George J. Gould could be relied upon to throw his entire influence in the direction of what was justly demanded by public opinion. I can only repeat that President Clowry, in the first instance, as well as Mr. Gould and Mr. Jesup, deserves the credit, in my judgment, for having done with such promptness what was properly demanded by public opinion."

County Detective Jacobs, who served the subpoenas on Mr. Dealy and Mr. Mitchell, was given a third subpoena for a man known as "French," who had in charge the work of wiring poolrooms.

Jerome Arraigns Police.

District Attorney Jerome arraigned the police in a most scathing way this afternoon because of the raids made on several alleged poolrooms and poolroom exchanges last Friday afternoon.

"These raids were made without any knowledge on my part and without any co-operation on the part of the district attorney's office," Mr. Jerome said. "It is evident to me and my assistants that not one scintilla of evidence was obtained by the police and my assistants would not make fools of themselves by asking the magistrate to hold the prisoners caught in the raids. I do not want to criticise my assistants, but the Dowling law was never intended to be used in cases of such a nature, or subpoenas used, either. This bill was formulated with the contemplation that if any person should be arrested without evidence, that evidence should be obtained by making prisoners testify against each other."

Decision Against Lewisohn.

Judge Dugro, in the supreme court today, after hearing Alfred Lauterbach, counsel for Jesse Lewisohn, and Assistant District Attorney Sandford, in opposition, granted an order directing Lewisohn to show good cause before Judge Greenbaum tomorrow why a provision should not be inserted in the order of appeal upon the writ of certiorari, issued on Friday last, that the cause in which Lewisohn says he was wrongly committed by Judge McMahon, in the court of general sessions, to go to jail for 15 days for refusing to answer before the grand jury certain questions as to his experiences in Canfield's house, be argued during the June term of the appellate division. Judge Dugro said that while he considered the law under which Lewisohn had been called as a witness constitutional, he thought it unwise, unjust and inexpedient and that it could not stand long.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

CRUSADE AT CONEY.

Brooklyn Minister Proposes to Act Against Sunday Law Violators.

NEW YORK, May 23.—(Special.)—The Rev. Dr. Cortlandt Myers of Brooklyn has inaugurated a crusade against what he terms the violation of the Sunday laws at Coney Island. Today he called upon Magistrate Higginbotham. The minister and magistrate had a lengthy consultation. It is understood that Dr. Myers asked for summons for the appearance of a number of persons in the court.

Dr. Myers particularly objects to the open-air acrobatic performances and the grand durbar at Luna park, as well as a number of shows in Dreamland. Detectives working for Dr. Myers were at the island collecting evidence yesterday.

COL. KEENAN TO BE MARSHAL.

Will Have Charge of Parade Preceding Dedication of Monument.

Col. T. J. Keenan has been appointed chief marshal of the parade at the dedication of the soldiers' monument in Woodlawn cemetery on Decoration day. Col. Keenan has appointed Capt. W. O. McNary adjutant general and Capt. E. D. Brush chief of staff. The division of civil war veterans will be marshaled by Commander Douthett of Maj. Lowry post, No. 548, who will also accept the monument on behalf of the soldiers of Allegheny county. National guard organizations will escort the veterans while uniformed societies will participate with 2,000 school children.

The second of the cannon to be mounted beside the monument was hauled to the cemetery yesterday.

Fortune Teller Arrested.

Detective Thomas C. Johnson yesterday arrested Mme. T. S. Somette at 818 Arch street, Allegheny. The woman is charged with fortune telling, which is proscribed by Director Scandrett's order against all objectionable characters. Magistrate Abernathey fined her $100 and costs, or 90 days to jail. She paid the fine.

Chinese Inspector Transferred.

E. C. Hendrix, who has been assistant immigrant inspector, looking after the Chinese, has been transferred to Tampa, Fla. George H. Moritz of Ellis Island, N. Y., will succeed him.

CLEVER DOCTOR

Cured a 20 Years' Trouble Without Any Medicine.

A wise Indiana physician cured 20 years' stomach disease without any medicine as his patient tells:

"I had stomach trouble for 20 years, tried allopathic medicines, patent medicines and all the simple remedies suggested by my friends, but grew worse all the time.

"Finally a doctor, who is the most prominent physician in this part of the state, told me medicine would do me no good, only irritating my stomach and making it worse—that I must look to diet and quit drinking coffee.

"I cried out in alarm, 'Quit drinking Coffee! why, 'what will I drink?'

"'Try Postum,' said the doctor, 'I drink it, and you will like it when it is made according to directions, with cream, for it is delicious and has none of the bad effects coffee has!'

"Well, that was two years ago and I am still drinking Postum. My stomach is right again and I know doctor hit the nail on the head when he decided coffee was the cause of all my trouble. I only wish I had quit it years ago and drank Postum in its place." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS ARE IN A KILKENNY ROW

German Radicals and Conservatives Plan Separate International Meetings.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, May 23.—During the last year a great discord has arisen between two factions of the women suffragists in Germany, who are now fighting each other tooth and nail. The leaders of the radical wing—Dr. Minnacauer, Dr. Anita Augsburg and Dr. Helen Stoecker—have been forced out of the committee in charge of the preparations for the international conference, and have responded by trying to arrange for an international conference of their own.

The announcement yesterday that the two American delegates—Susan B. Anthony and Mary Wright Sewell—will not join the secessionists but will attend the conference inaugurated by the regulars, has made the radical faction furious. They declare that the conservative branch of the party has sold its birthright and has proven traitor to the cause of woman suffrage. It mentions its rivals only under the designation of the "five o'clock tea women." It also declares it will force an entrance into the meeting and throw out the women whom it holds responsible for the split in the party.

FIBROID TUMORS CURED.

Mrs. Hayes' First Letter Appealing to Mrs. Pinkham for Help:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been under Boston doctors' treatment for a long time without any relief. They tell me I have a fibroid tumor. I cannot sit down without great pain, and the soreness extends up my spine. I have bearing-down pains both back and front. My abdomen is swollen, and I have had flowing spells for three years. My appetite is not good. I cannot walk or be on my feet for any length of time.

"The symptoms of Fibroid Tumor given in your little book accurately describe my case, so I write to you for advice."—(Signed) MRS. E. F. HAYES, 252 Dudley St. (Roxbury), Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Hayes' Second Letter:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Sometime ago I wrote to you describing my symptoms and asked your advice. You replied, and I followed all your directions carefully, and to-day I am a well woman.

"The use of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** entirely expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system. I can walk miles now.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is worth five dollars a drop. I advise all women who are afflicted with tumors or female trouble of any kind to give it a faithful trial."—(Signed) MRS. E. F. HAYES, 252 Dudley St. (Roxbury), Boston, Mass.

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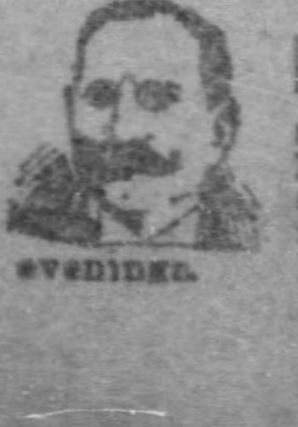

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New Book Creates a Sensation in Vienna Society Circles.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, May 23.—A sensational book has appeared here, proving beyond doubt that the unhappy Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg, who is being kept practically a prisoner in an asylum at Koseig, near Dresden, is sane. The author discloses almost incredible stories of cruelty against the princess. His assertions carry weight because he declares that he does not sympathize with Princess Louise and her lover, Lieut. Matachich.

The story is told in a straightforward, clear and concise manner. Besides giving what purports to be a true history of the princess, the book contains a series of attacks on high society in Vienna, which the author declares to be more corrupt than that of any other city.

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FRAU MEYER DEMANDS HER SON OF COUNTESS

Alleges That Recognized Heir to Kwilecka Estates Is a Plebian.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, May 23.—It looks as if the sensational process against Countess Kwilecka is going to be followed by another not less sensational. Frau Meyer, wife of a small railroad employe in the province of Posen has demanded that the countess deliver to her the young Count Joseph who, she says, is her own child.

In the process against the countess, Count Kwilecka accused his wife of trying to impose upon him by declaring this child their son. The court, however, decided that the evidence did not show that any substitution by the countess had taken place, and the child was officially recognized as the heir to the large estates of the count.

It is probable that the whole case will have to be reopened and the first trial declared void. In this case the countess will not only have to face an accusation of having tried to palm off a strange child on her husband, but of having committed perjury during the first trial.

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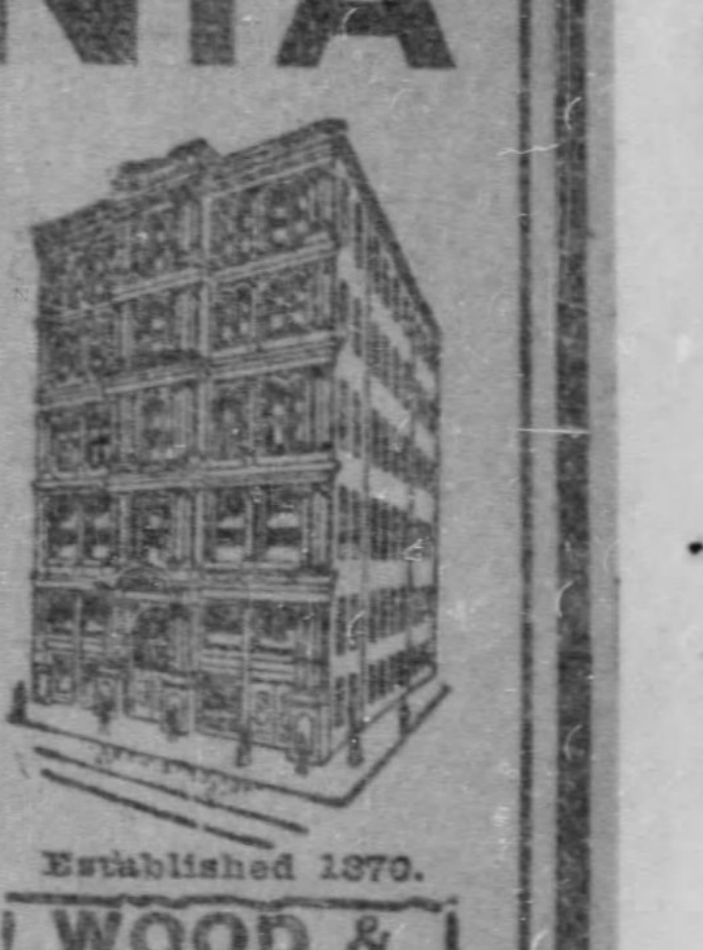

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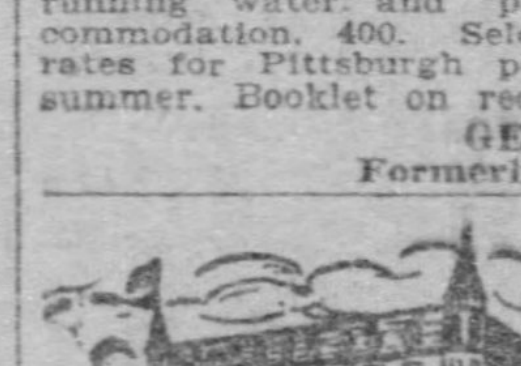

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